

ROOSEVELT URGES NATIONAL SERVICE LAW

National Service Legislation May Prove Difficult Task for Congress

Labor Opposes Compulsory Work; President's Request May Be Linked To Strike Situation

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11 (AP)—President Roosevelt's call for National Service legislation dropped squarely into Congress' lap today as a hot potato which political Washington has been juggling since before the war.

The idea that men and women should be drafted in wartime for work in vital industries goes back much further than that. It was supported by many groups and persons who studied this country's handling of domestic affairs in World War I.

President Roosevelt himself spoke of possible need for universal service, though in very concrete terms, back in the days of uneasy peace when Congress was debating the question of drafting men for the army.

At that time, what seemed to be in the minds of many was some sort of nationwide program of youth training. Mrs. Roosevelt once said it might be a good thing if every boy and girl gave a year or two to service of their government.

Agitate for Act

With Pearl Harbor and the tremendous expansion of the armament effort, manpower questions came sharply to the forefront. Some of those chiefly concerned with solving them began to agitate for a National Service act.

Paul V. McNutt, head of the War Relocation Authority, told Congress on Oct. 8, 1942, that he felt some such act was imperative, although he said it might never be necessary to use compulsion to work.

McNutt apparently believed then that Mr. Roosevelt was ready to back him up, for members of the House Appropriations committee which heard his testimony said he indicated legislation was being drafted.

Organized labor was, however, and still is strongly opposed to anything so far-reaching as compulsion on working men to take particular jobs. There was a sharp outcry from its leaders. William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, and Philip Murray, president of the Congress of Industrial Organizations, visited the White House and came away saying the president had agreed such legislation should be delayed pending further study.

One of these studies was carried out by the manpower commission's Management-Labor policy, composed of representatives of labor, industry and farming. Its members unanimously recommended Nov. 10, 1942, against National Service legislation.

Truce "Voluntary Program"

Meantime, was carrying on with what was called a "voluntary program." As it developed, this included controls which virtually froze workers in their jobs in manpower-short areas by directing that all hiring be through the United States Employment Service which was empowered to deny a worker a certificate permitting him to take a new job. Completely lacking, however, was affirmative power to order a man or woman to take a particular job although regulations issued under Selective Service operated to put pressure on draft-age men to get into war industries.

There were those in Congress who called all this make-shift, however, and Senator Austin (R-Vt.) and Representative Wadsworth (R-N.Y.), among them, introduced their National Service Act last Feb. 8.

The administration split on this measure. The War and Navy departments were in favor of it.

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Steel-Sheathed Bible Saves Bombardier's Life

AT A U. S. BOMBER BASE IN ENGLAND, Jan. 11 (AP)—Flying Fortress bombardier Lt. Robert Turner of Lexington, Ky., said a steel-sheathed Bible saved his life in today's raid on Germany.

Flak fragments lodged in the Bible, which he always carries in his left breast pocket.

"I can thank the Lord for my life today," Turner said.

Russian Armies Continue Advance In Old Poland

Moscow Announces 15,000 Germans Killed in Victory at Kirovograd

By JUDSON O'QUINN
LONDON, Wednesday, Jan. 12 (AP)—Red army forces, in a simultaneous attack with Rovno region guerrillas, broke through German lines, forcing the Sluch river near Sarny yesterday while Moscow announced that 15,000 Germans were killed in the city's smashing victory at Kirovograd.

The Russians completely broke German resistance in the Sarny area, said the late Moscow broadcast, but the late Moscow broadcast, said the Russians continued their offensive. After forcing the river they captured Stryk, seven miles from Sarny. They also took in swift attack the railway station of Novohirsk, seven miles south of Sarny. Eight hundred Germans were reported killed in the area as the Russians widened their front to fourteen miles.

Sarny May Fall Soon

Sarny itself was expected to fall shortly to attacks from the north, south and east as the Russians converged on the strategic rail town. The rail line itself from Baranovitch to Rovno, was no longer of use to the Germans, forcing them back almost 150 miles to Brest-Litovsk, for north-south communications in this area.

Details of the great German debacle at Kirovograd and its environs Jan. 5-8 were painted in by Soviet statistics of what the enemy had lost.

Destroyed were 293 tanks, 336 big guns, 121 mortars, 445 machineguns, ninety-four armored cars and 978 trucks. Captured by the Russians were 150 tanks, 188 guns, 242 mortars, 429 machineguns, twenty-five armored cars, 2,009 trucks and 19 military stores.

In another blow to the Germans the Russians yesterday smashed eight German troop trains carrying men, tanks, ammunition and gasoline, the bulletin said.

Troop Trains Smashed

Soviet mobile units, operating in the area of the Smela-Khristinovka rail line caught the troop trains unprepared and sprayed them with machinegun fire. The Germans rushed the line of fire and the trains were littered with their bodies and the twisted wrecks of tanks and trucks. Fires finished off the stores the Germans were rushing to hard-pressed units.

In the Korovograd area Gen. Ivan S. Konev's forces put a group of Germans to flight and captured several populated places as well as supplies.

More than thirty towns were captured by Gen. Nikolai Vatutin's First Ukrainian Army southwest and west of Novograd Volynski where 1,100 Germans fell in twenty-four hours. Advancing down the railway to Shepetovka they captured Radulino, fifteen miles southwest of Novograd Volynski and twenty-five miles northeast of Shepetovka. Burdino, sixteen miles east of Shepetovka, also was taken.

In this area "a considerable number of German and Hungarian soldiers surrendered," the bulletin said.

Heavy Bombers Blast Capital Of Bulgaria

American and British Planes Operate from Air-dromes in Southern Italy

By JOSEPH DYNAN
ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Algiers, Jan. 11 (AP)—American and British heavy bombers, operating from a network of airbases in Southern Italy, have opened a day and night onslaught on Sofia, capital of Bulgaria, in what may be a calculated campaign to knock that Nazi satellite nation out of the war and start a collapse of Hitler's unsteady empire.

Wellington bombers left Bulgaria's only important city a mass of blazing wreckage last night when they showered it with tons of explosives only a few hours after fighter-escorted American Flying Fortresses had fought off between forty and fifty Nazi fighters and blasted the capital with at least a load of bombs as struck London in any night of the 1940-41 German blitz.

Ground Forces Advance

Allied ground forces, fighting steadily toward Rome and air bases even nearer the enemy's heart, closed to within three miles of the German stronghold of Cassino both from the north and the south after a week's sustained offensive. German troops defending the communications center seventy miles from Rome were fighting desperately but unsuccessfully to hold back Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark's men and armor.

American infantry stormed Mt. Diaperio, about 1,500 yards from the village of Cervaro, four miles east of Cassino, and today were pushing down into the strong defenses of Cervaro itself. Other tanks troops, slugging their way up the via Cassinella from the captured village of San Vittore, threatened Nazi defenses on Mt. Cassino, less than three miles from Roccia.

A German war correspondent, broadcasting over the Nazi radio, announced that the Allied Fifth army had "launched a major drive on Rome," possibly indicating that General Clark has thrown in heavy reserves of infantry and tanks for the final assault on Cassino.

Closing in from the southeast and south, British troops advanced another mile and completed capture of Mt. Pedro, overlooking Cassino and Carigliano river. Front reports said they still were going forward. Dispatches yesterday said British units had worked their way around southwest of beleaguered Cassino, but there was no report of these troops today.

British Destroyers Busy

Yesterday's aerial assault on Sofia opened the possibility that the Balkan capital, only 400 miles from New Allied bases, might be marked for obliteration unless the Bulgarians quickly retire from the war.

This was the first attack by Fortresses on Sofia, the previous four missions having been carried out by bombers, which shifted to Italian bases weeks ahead of the Fortresses.

REPUBLICANS CHOOSE CHICAGO AS SITE FOR 1944 CONVENTION

Presidential Candidates Will Be Chosen Week Beginning June 26

By D. HAROLD OLIVER
CHICAGO, Jan. 11 (AP)—Republicans will choose their 1944 presidential candidate in Chicago the week beginning June 26 in the same stadium where President Roosevelt was nominated for his first and third terms.

The Republican National Committee made these choices unanimously today after Chicago business men submitted the only money bid—of \$75,000—to pay the convention expenses.

Democrats will pick a convention city and date at a meeting of their national committee in Washington Jan. 22. They also are expected to accept a bid of \$75,000 from Chicago. Unless most Democrats miss their guess, President Roosevelt will be a fourth-term candidate running on a program to "win the war" as quickly as possible and proposing a postwar expanded economy and social improvement along with American participation in an international organization to keep the peace.

The national committee members and state chairmen and vice chairmen here for a two-day Republican meeting talked mostly when referring to GOP presidential possibilities—of Dewey, Wilkie, and Bricker, with many suggesting a ticket of Dewey and Warren.

Warren Not a Candidate

Gov. John W. Bricker of Ohio, has already announced his candidacy. Wendell L. Wilkie, the 1940 standard bearer, is expected by his supporters here to do so formally within the next two weeks. Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York still insists he is not a candidate, but many committee members here from scattered sections of the country say an effort will be made to "draft" him.

Gov. Earl Warren of California, like Dewey a first term governor, also has said he is not a candidate for either place on the ticket, but has consented to entry of his name in the California presidential primary in May as a means of becoming the district delegate where a district delegate of fifty to the national convention.

Today's national committee meeting ran like clockwork with no controversies arising to upset the unusual calm of these sessions.

American Heavy Bombers Pound Targets Deep In Germany

Powerful Formations Battle Through Stormy Weather and Terrific Nazi Fighter Opposition

By HENRY R. JAMESON
LONDON, Wednesday, Jan. 12 (AP)—Powerful formations of United States Flying Fortresses and Liberator bombers, escorted by Thunderbolts, Lightnings and new type long-range fighters, battled through stormy weather and terrific German fighter opposition in Germany tonight.

A special communiqué from Hitler's headquarters—which was not confirmed by Allied sources—declared that 123 of the raiders were shot down. The German International Information Bureau stated in a broadcast earlier that eighty of the four-engine bombers were destroyed. A preliminary United States army communiqué said the Americans encountered "strong fighter opposition," but made no mention of either American or German losses.

Details Not Known

Later it was announced that another American communiqué was expected about 9 a. m. (4 a. m. E.W.T.) today—a considerably later than communications have been issued on most occasions in the past.

The United States bulletin said the attack was made on "Northwest Germany," but Germans said the Americans struck at "Central Germany." Neither identified the specific objectives.

The Germans admitted the loss of only nine planes.

A supplementary American bulletin described the mission as a three-hour running battle in which the great armada of bombers was subjected to continuous attack during the entire time it was over Germany.

"The Germans threw in virtually every type of aircraft that could give battle to the bombers and their assault was vicious and determined," the statement said.

Savannah, Ga. Robert F. Travis, said there were only three minutes between the first and last attacks when German fighters "were not around."

The claim of 123 Nazi fighters destroyed by United States planes and ground defenses was exactly the top claim made by the Nazis after the Schweinfurt raid last Oct. 14, when the Americans officially announced a record loss of sixty bombers.

There is no immediate reason to believe the new German claim is any more accurate than the previous and it appeared obvious that while some of the greatest air battles of the war were fought yesterday, the battle was not over.

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Thinks American People Will Welcome Act; Says It Will Speed Victory

Service Law Proposed To Obtain Aid of All Able-bodied Men and Women; Asks Realistic Tax Measure, Cost of Food Law; Contends Labor Draft Act Would End Strikes for the Duration

By WILLIAM T. PEACOCK
WASHINGTON, Jan. 11 (AP)—President Roosevelt stunned Congress today with a request for legislation allowing the drafting of men and women for war work—a key point in a broad program laid down in his annual message for winning the war and winning the peace.

Saying such a measure would prevent strikes, Mr. Roosevelt expressed conviction that the American people would welcome it and said it would give our enemies "demoralizing assurance that we mean business—that we, 130,000,000 Americans, are on the march to Rome, Berlin and Tokyo."

There had been reports before-hand that the president might make such a request, but the legislators generally had discounted these and most were taken by surprise. Immediate reaction ranged from the tag "labor conscription" applied by Senator Johnson (D-Col.) through coolness and caution to warm support, the latter chiefly from a small minority of members who already had advocated such a law themselves.

Pleads for National Unity

There was general applause, however, for a presidential plea for national unity, and many administration followers indicated a trend on second thought toward swinging in to line behind his request for a national service act.

Chairman McNutt (D-Ky.) of the House Military committee, after first saying he was "not hot for it," later said he supposed his committee would report "some kind of national service legislation." Chairman Reynolds (D-NC) of the Senate Military committee expressed outright opposition.

Because he still is not fully recovered from the effects of gripe, the president sent his message to Congress rather than delivering it in person as has been his custom since he took office. It was read to Senate and House by clerks, but Mr. Roosevelt broadcast major portions of it to the public at 9 p. m.

His voice showing no trace of huskiness, the president told his radio audience that he had practically recovered from the "flu" but "my doctor simply would not permit me to leave the White House." That, he explained in a brief prefatory section of the address, was the reason the message was not delivered in person and broadcast from the capital as has been his custom.

The reason for the later broadcast, the president said, was that he was "very anxious that the American people have an opportunity to hear what I have recommended to the Congress for this very fateful year in our history—and the reasons for these recommendations."

After that introduction he launched into the message itself, as delivered to Congress except for minor deletions to save time.

The message set forth a five-point program for wartime legislation, asked for laws assuring that those in the armed services can vote in this year's election, gave assurance that no secret treaties or political commitments were made at the Tehran and Cairo conference, and outlined a postwar "bill of economic rights," asking that Congress explore means for implementing it.

Wants More Revenue

His five-point program:

1. A tax law which will tax all unreasonable profits both individual and corporate. He said the pending revenue bill, which would raise revenue for the war, was inadequate to meet the test of "a realistic tax law."

Berkeley, arguing that "we are morally obligated to make up by taxation any deficit resulting from the freeze" of the social security tax, joined with others who said demands on social security's funds for old age benefits would increase twenty-fold when the program hits its peak stride in the future.

His argument was futile, however, against an overwhelming sentiment on the tax-writing Finance committee to hold the tax at its present level. Chairman George (D-Ga.) said the committee was convinced "the present one per cent payroll tax will completely protect the solvency of the old age and survivors benefit fund."

Peace Terms Suitable to Japanese Must Not Be Made, Halsey Asserts

By HAMILTON W. FARON
WASHINGTON, Jan. 11 (AP)—Nothing less than the capture of Tokyo and a peace dictated by Fleet Commander Halsey, Jr.

The fighting commander of the South Pacific fleet made that abundantly clear today with a press conference plea: "And don't let them stop us until we get it. I'll tell you there is only one definite place that has got to be taken, and that's Tokyo."

The 61-year-old admiral warned against peace movements gained in reply to inquiries about the apparent reluctance of the Japanese fleet to meet American forces in a showdown naval battle.

One reason, he said, might be that "they think they can wear us down by attrition tactics and we'll get tired and make a peace suit we'll get to one which, God knows, I hope no one will permit."

There is plenty of strength to carry the battle on to the enemy's homeland, Halsey said, and more the problem than movement of a fleet anywhere else.

"We have definite superiority in the air, on the sea and in land forces wherever we are," he says.

Committee Favors \$300 Mustering Out Pay Measure

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11 (AP)—The House Military committee today approved legislation providing for mustering out pay of \$300 for men and women who serve more than six months in the armed forces in this war.

The action came a short time after Warren H. Atherton, national commander of the American Legion, told another House group—the veterans committee—that there should not be any "dilly-dallying" on the issue of benefits to veterans of World War two. Discharges now average 1,000 daily and 800,000 already are in civilian clothes. Atherton declared as he presented his organization's program which included a proposal for \$500 mustering-out pay.

The military committee recommended payment of \$100 for all service men with less than sixty days of service. The payments in both cases would be irrespective of whether service was in this country or abroad and would not be payable to persons whose base pay is more than \$2,400 annually.

Chairman May (D-Ky.) said he would seek House action on the legislation this week, probably Thursday.

The committee-approved plan provides that persons eligible to receive only \$100 would receive the full amount immediately upon discharge. Those entitled to \$300 would be paid \$100 upon discharge, \$100 thirty days later, and \$100 sixty days after discharge.

Aussie Troops Cross Buri River; Push toward Americans at Saidor

By OLEN CLEMENTS
ADVANCED ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, New Guinea, Wednesday, Jan. 12 (AP)—Australians using mortars, artillery and tanks against a strong Japanese rear guard have advanced across the Buri River on the Huon peninsula coast of New Guinea in their push toward American invasion troops at Saidor.

The Japanese staged determined resistance with machineguns and mortars, but the Aussies' Mouda trumped with tanks to take the best the enemy could offer and drove the well-entrenched Nipponese from the field. The enemy left their dead on the battlefield.

The Australian advance reported in Gen. Douglas MacArthur's communique today narrowed to about sixty miles the distance between them and the American Sixth Army troops at Saidor, and tightened the squeeze on the enemy between the two Allied forces.

American Marines fighting on Cape Gloucester, New Britain, almost directly eastward across Vitiaz Strait from the scene of the Australian success, beat off two Japanese counterattacks and achieved an advance against the furiously determined enemy.

Heavy Fighting Reported

Apparently the heaviest fighting in the vicinity of Hill 660, south of Simlati point. The Marines have reached the hill but have not yet taken it. Both sides are using artillery and have employed bombs.

Murray Opposes National Service Legislation Plan

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11 (AP)—CIO President Philip Murray tonight called national service legislation "quack medicine" for what he described as failures of the legislative and executive agencies.

AFI President William Green reserved comment for the present on President Roosevelt's proposal.

Both Green and Murray have been asked to confer with the president tomorrow, it was learned.

Murray issued a statement saying the president's message "exposes the glaring and miserable failure of Congress to combat inflation, x x x soaring prices, black markets, and frozen wages create the just and burning grievances of the American workers, x x x"

"For the past two years, whenever the legislative and executive agencies became frustrated out of their own failures to accomplish a total mobilization of our nation's resources, they proceeded to recommend quack medicine of a national service law."

Murray said the CIO has demonstrated that "the answer must be the co-ordination of the services of the men and women of the country for war production with the contract allocation, production programming, and other aspects of our war production activities."

"The CIO has consistently urged," he said, "that apart from the evils inherent in the attempt to resort to compulsory labor, the approach embodied in national service legislation is ineffectual and actually contains dangers of further complicating rather than ending our manpower situation."

Senate Would Keep Social Security For 1944 at One Per Cent

Spurns Protest from Majority Leader Barkley in Blocking Increase

By HOWARD FLEGER
WASHINGTON, Jan. 11 (AP)—The Senate today voted to freeze 1944's social security tax at one per cent, spurning a protest from Majority Leader Barkley (D-Ky.) that the action was building up a tax burden for the future.

The 48 to 17 vote to block a rise in social security taxes to two per cent on workers and employers came as the Senate took up a revenue bill President Roosevelt condemned as "inadequate to meet the test of a realistic tax law."

Berkeley, arguing that "we are morally obligated to make up by taxation any deficit resulting from the freeze" of the social security tax, joined with others who said demands on social security's funds for old age benefits would increase twenty-fold when the program hits its peak stride in the future.

His argument was futile, however, against an overwhelming sentiment on the tax-writing Finance committee to hold the tax at its present level. Chairman George (D-Ga.) said the committee was convinced "the present one per cent payroll tax will completely protect the solvency of the old age and survivors benefit fund."

Maryland Representatives Oppose Prohibition

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11 (AP)—Five of the six Maryland representatives in the House expressed opposition today to any legislation which would bring prohibition to this country during the war.

Rep. David J. Ward (D-Prin.) declined to commit himself on the question.

Thomas D'Alesandro, Jr. (D), H. Street Baldwin (D), Daniel Ellison (D), Glenn Beall (R) each said he was opposed to further trial of prohibition, especially while millions of men and women in the armed services were absent from the country.

The House Elections committee sidestepped a proposal for a federal ballot and took up a Senate-approved measure which would leave the soldier voting problem in the laps of the states.

House Group Takes Up Senate Measure On Soldier Voting

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Sparks Produces More "Evidence"

This Time He Quotes Dead Man

CHICAGO, Jan. 11 (AP)—C. Nelson Sparks, who recently made public a letter he declared was written by Harry Hopkins, predicting the Republican nomination of Wendell Willkie in 1944, has produced another statement—one he said was written by the late Glenn Frank.

Sparks, author of the book, "One Man—Wendell Willkie," a criticism of the 1940 GOP presidential candidate, quoted the statement in an address prepared for the Republican Nationalist Revival committee.

"Prowl Together" The former Akron, O., mayor said he was "proud of the opportunity to contribute in my humble way whatever ammunition is available—first, toward the nullification of a self-appointed, internationally-minded trusteeship of the Republican party; second, to prove that this trusteeship, conceived and hatched in the Waldorf Astoria hotel in New York, in 1936, and the New Deal party are not only of the same 'breed of cats' but they prowled around together, 'under cover' xxx"

Then he displayed the statement, which he said was signed by Frank on Sept. 11, 1940—four days before Frank was killed in an automobile accident in Wisconsin—and called attention to its mention of a New York meeting in 1936. Frank was a former president of the University of Wisconsin and at that time chairman of the Republican party's Program committee.

Sparks quoted the statement as saying that:

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"Among the men I faced were Thomas Lamont, Mr. Cochrane, also of the Morgan firm, and Alfred P. Sloan. xxx

"I was told abruptly that inasmuch as they might decide to make me the Republican nominee for president, I was to curtail my speaking engagements. xxx

"They gave me definitely to understand that if they were unsuccessful in '36 (which they knew as well as I did that they would be) then, 'we will pick a candidate from the industrial east.' They did not attempt to conceal the fact that with the 1936 gesture, they were ridding themselves of an obligation to

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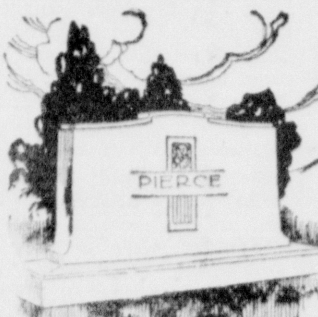
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Says He Has Witness

"Sparks said the statement, addressed to whom it may concern, was witnessed by a 'well-known business man now living in the state of North Dakota' and that the name of the person it was given to would be deleted 'until this document is presented to the United

States Senate sub-elections committee."

Sparks told reporters he had been subpoenaed to appear Wednesday before a federal grand jury in Washington, D. C., and that the letter he attributes to Hopkins, adviser to President Roosevelt, "has been subpoenaed too."

Hopkins has charged the letter is "a forgery" and Dr. Umphrey Lee, president of Southern Methodist

University, Dallas, Tex., to whom Sparks said it was written, has denied receiving it.

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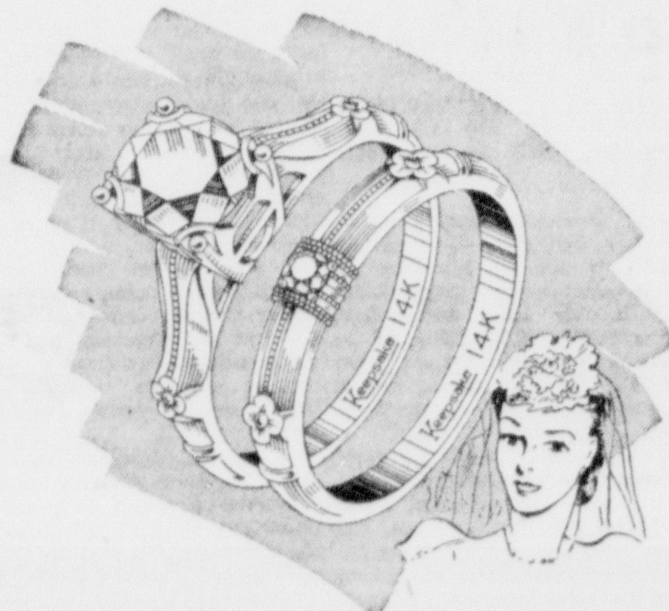
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Yankee Senorita

BY LORENA CARLETON

SYNOPSIS

MALLORY BAKER, self-centered, but young, beautiful and talented singer, has achieved success with the aid of

TOD PATRICK, her manager. He has been her agent since she was an entertainer striving to reach

the top. En route to Mexico by plane, Mallory meets an attractive, rather mysterious young man.

RICHARD BLYTHE.

YESTERDAY: Prism joins her mistress, Mallory, and as they are driving along a fog-shrouded road

off-handedly remarks, "Swell spot for a murder."

CHAPTER SEVENTEEN

"FOR HEAVEN'S sake, Prism, do you have to say that?" Mallory Baker's fingers were nervous on the steering wheel.

The colored woman's voice was unperturbed. "All I said was, swell spot for a murder. I didn't mean nothin'. People are always sayin' things like that," she drawled in self-defense. "You know, in deserted buildin's and dark alleys and in all them sorta places. And this old fog makes as dark a place as anything. We can't see nothin', I'll bet you don't even know what's over that-a-way and that-a-way." Her hand flopped limply to right and to left like a fat, black fish, where fog had draped over the roadsides.

"I'm glad I don't!"

The nervousness in her voice drew a concerned glance from her maid. "What's the matter with you, Miss Mallory? Ague?"

"Prism, I'm in trouble."

"Course," responded the colored woman with a manner that ap-

proached boredom. "That's 'oblivious' to see. All I'm waitin' for is to see if it's the same as all your million other troubles or is it different from the same old stuff this time. Different, I hope," she grumbled.

"It's different. Plenty different. You see, Prism, I don't like that murder sort of talk, because I saw a murder on my way down to Laredo to Monterrey."

Mallory did not know just what she expected from her servant. Perhaps a gasp, perhaps a quick prayer, perhaps a stunned silence. As surely she did not expect that known high cackle of laughter, as if she had told Prism some shout-provoking joke.

"Boy, this time it's different, all right!" The fat maid kept trembling with laughter. "Oh, Miss Mallory, that's really a good one. Say, you did need a rest. You know when something like that happens to me I always say, 'Look out now, Prism! Look out now! You're getting crackety.' So I blink my eyes real fast a few times and then it's gone." She chuckled. "You'd better take it right easy for a while, Miss Mallory."

Mallory dared not take her eyes from what little she could see of the highway long enough to give her maid a scathing look. "Prism, you're the one who is crackety, as you express it, right now. Your philosophy about eye-blinking is fine except it won't work when you've really seen something. And, believe me, I really saw something." Before Prism could antagonize her further she began to tell the entire story.

It took her quite a while, because she had to devote herself to that dangerous driving. Despite that, Prism never once interrupted. She waited until the girl had finished.

"Looks like they're really puttin' the bee on you, Miss Mallory."

"I wish you hadn't made me take the bullets out of my revolver."

"Make you? I didn't make you do it." The maid's voice was more natural now. "And what would you have done if they'd been a dozen bullets in that gun? Twirled it on your finger like a cowboy in the movies? No, sir! You'd a skeedaddled just like you did skeedaddle. And I don't blame you. But if they come bustin' around for trouble they'll find it—say, you don't think they'd come traipsin' back and watch for you to come through this fog, do you?"

"Swell spot for a murder!" quoted Mallory.

"Aw, please, Miss Mallory, you hush. I didn't know how things was when I said that." For a moment she pondered, her large head bent slightly to one side. "You know, Miss Mallory," she vowed in a slow threat, "if anyone hurt you I believe I could team them into smithereens with my own bare hands."

"Prism," choked the girl, "you're wonderful."

"Yes!" Thank you. Only I

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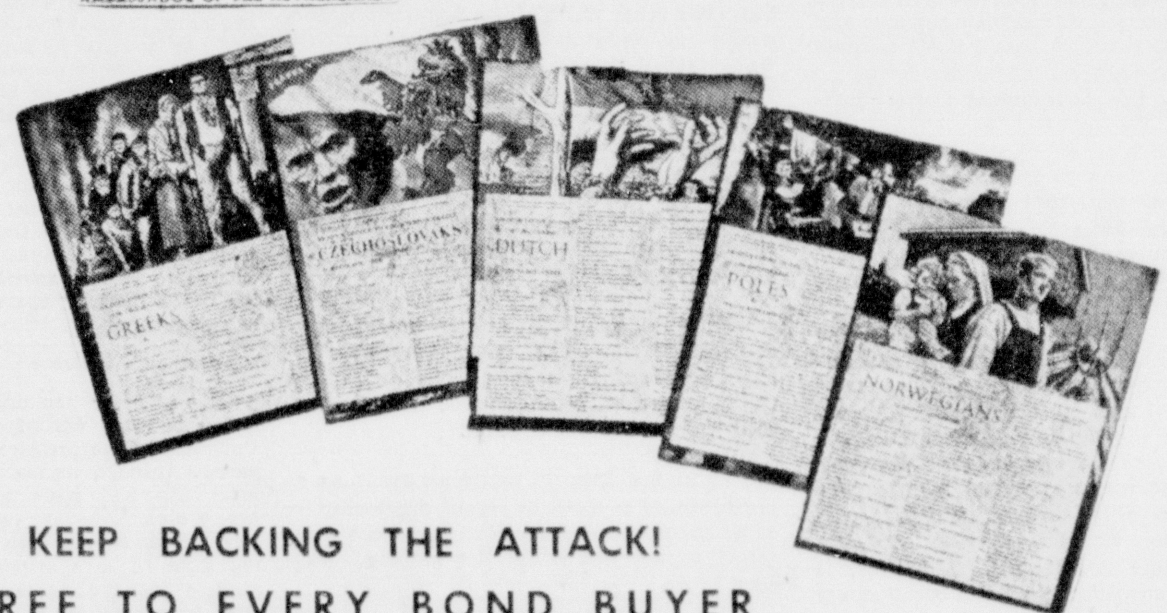


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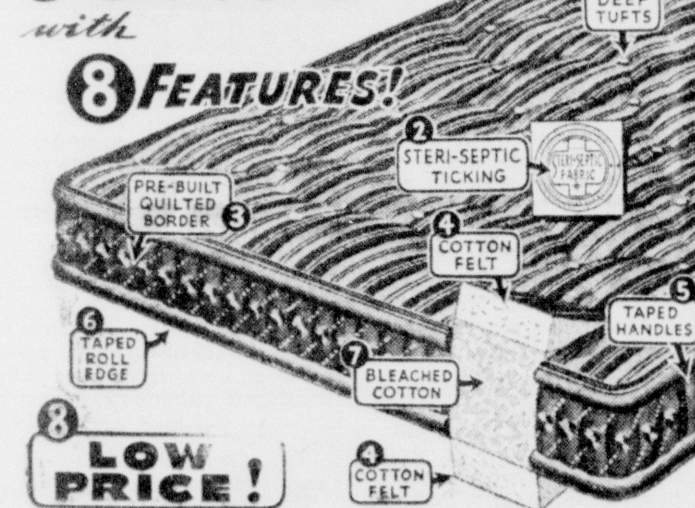
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The Fiscal "Experts" Who Butter Their Own Bread

EVERY TIME economy in government is proposed, the jobholders grab their well-polished armor of war and necessity, form in solid phalanx and rush to the front with their javelins of protest. How a notable exhibition of this was given over in West Virginia and how empty time disclosed the arguments to have been are related by the *Charleston Daily Mail*.

"About a year ago at the time of the regular meeting of the legislature very strongly inclined to the strictest of economies in the operation of the state government," it relates, "the prophets of doom were converging upon the Finance committees of both houses with the doleful message that if the personal income tax were repealed and if the gross sales tax rates were cut, there would be a virtual breakdown in normal government functions. That was a year ago. The income tax was repealed, the consumers' sales tax levies were revised in a drastic manner and business and industry found itself relieved of some of the gross sales burden."

But now, the state budget director publicly admits that all this was bloomy, that receipts have been above anticipations and that by next June 30 they will amount to approximately \$2,500,000 over estimates in the 1943-45 budget act.

"This means," says the *Daily Mail*, "that some one in the executive department had his figures all wrong or happened to be engaged in an attempt to mislead the public about the tax situation. It so happened that the last legislature, composed of substantial men for the most part, knew what it was about when it eliminated the personal income tax and reduced the gross sales tax. It was not fooled by the protestations from the executive department that the poor would go hungry and the sick would die unattended. Moreover, it had a deep suspicion that the carelessness of this administration with the taxpayer's dollar was a marvelous performance."

Aside from noting that a similar result accrued in Maryland after an unconscionable income tax was pared down despite the howls of jobholders that the state would go to wrack and ruin if the demands of organized taxpayer bodies were heeded, interest obtains here in the West Virginia case by the impress it gives to two important circumstances. One is demonstration of the theory that easier taxes, giving impetus to enterprise and endeavor, tend to produce larger revenues. The other, which should impress all voters respecting their action in the coming election, is that the results were obtained only after the people, sick and tired of a long-entrenched and reckless state administration, rose in their might and elected a big increase of Republican representation in its legislature while making a big turnover in its congressional delegation; and resulting introduction of fiscal sanity in the legislature was what brought about the change in its ruthless taxing policy.

Republicans Confident

THERE WAS nothing "picayunish" about the meeting of the Republican National Committee, at which it was decided to hold the Republican National Convention at Chicago in June. Everything was open and aboveboard. The committeemen exuded complete confidence that the next president of the United States will be nominated by the delegates for whose convocation they made preliminary arrangements.

The exuberance displayed by the committeemen will be regarded as little short of sacrilegious by New Dealers who would keep the nation in the dark as to the New Deal candidate until the day the convention of federal officeholders meets to name him, and the "dark horse" is unveiled to the public.

Nothing could have a more salubrious effect on home front morale than the open and militant manner in which the G.O.P. is planning the presidential campaign. Key men in the party, in and out of Congress, have correctly assayed public sentiment as displayed at the elections of 1942 and 1943—sentiment that has made wide gains in the same direction in recent weeks—and are planning constructively and courageously to take over conduct of the government next January.

Congress has returned to Washington convinced that what the nation wants most, next to victory on the battlefield, is an end to New Dealism. Members of Congress have learned anew that they interpreted public sentiment correctly when they voted against the proposed confiscatory

New Deal taxes and against the deceptive subsidy plan. Congress can be relied upon to legislate in accordance with public sentiment, and in doing so will help to perform the groundwork for overwhelming Republican success at the polls next November.

Pacific Warfare Has A Gratifying Aspect

BECAUSE of the vast scope of the Pacific conflict, the most gratifying aspect of American victories is the fact that they are being made to stick. American forces are fighting over an arc that stretches more than 8,000 miles from the Aleutians to Australia. Supplies travel nearly 8,000 miles from California before reaching the fighting front in New Britain.

Each victory requires the building up of initial strength through vast difficulties. Each advance demands that losses be made good through reinforcements. These are the longest supply lines of any warring nation to require constant protection against surprise attack.

All this makes it rather surprising that Japan has not made major efforts to break through the contracting American offensive circle. By risking its fleet Japan might do so at one or more points. But Japan seems to be committed to a defensive war until it is forced by stark military adversity to try to strike back.

The obvious conclusion is that America is overpowering Japan. The enemy can not meet American weapons and the skilled men in charge of them. It is not strange that the Japanese people are being warned by their emperor that the war situation for Japan is very critical and that they must make far greater efforts if they hope to win.

Two French Groups May Cause Trouble

AS preparations for invasion of Europe by an American-Anglo force proceed, there is much speculation on the sort of political setup Gen. Eisenhower will find when his troops land on French soil, if France is chosen for the final drive against Hitler.

War correspondents, after months spent in neutral cities, piecing together bits of information gathered along the way, have become singularly adept at forecasting coming events. Their views regarding France and invasion deserve consideration.

It is known, these correspondents declare, that there are many thousands of Frenchmen who would gladly aid an Allied invasion force, and these may be counted upon to be a factor in the actual fighting. But the effectiveness of this group is certain to be lessened by the activities of at least two other units of the population, who would not only fight with Germany but would array themselves against their own countrymen. One such militant organization is under Jacques Doriot, leader of the French Nazis. The other is the so-called Vichy militia, known as Laval's private army.

That Hitler is counting upon the assistance of these two groups is fully recognized by neutral observers.

Hirohito hasn't held any new poetry contests lately. The reason probably is that the Japs have found out one can't write poems with one hand and dig air raid shelters with the other.

If Rudolf Hess is really as nutty as a jay-bird—as averred in recent dispatches—what about those other Nazi big shots who failed to get out while the getting was good?

Northeastern Brazil annually has two months of steady rain followed by ten months of scorching heat. What a soft spot for a weather forecaster.

Tojo should preserve at least one of those two-man subs. He and Hirohito will want to depart in a hurry for parts unknown some day.

Captured by American motorized infantry, it was only natural for that Nazi general to wall: "I haff been jeepeed!"

Your Prejudices

By MARSHALL MASLIN

We can't help having prejudices any more than we can avoid weeds in the garden. . . . Unless you live in a sound-proof house and never leave it you'll find prejudices floating into your mind—and even if you did live in such a house, you'd probably discover in yourself a prejudice against footloose folk.

They blow in from everywhere like the dandelion puffs from the vacant lot next door, and before you know it there they are—sprouting vigorously and making themselves at home. Theoretically perhaps YOU have no prejudices. Your mind is clean as a well-scoured pot. You think straight and clearly with no knocks in your engine. . . . But is that quite true? . . . Years ago, let us say, you had a grievance and went to law over it. You hired a lawyer and he took your case into court. You were convinced that you had been unfairly dealt with, that your cause was just. The jury looked intelligent and friendly and you had high hopes of success.

But on the third day of the trial the judge threw your case out of court and discharged the jury.

You say you have no prejudices but that judge is still on the bench and every few years he seeks reelection. Does he get YOUR vote? Do you think he is a good, intelligent, fair judge? Or a prejudiced old fog who should have been retired long ago to private life?

I'll not try to answer those questions. . . . I know how I'd answer them if they applied to me. I can only guess how you'd answer them but I guess I have a right to my private opinion—and I THINK that you don't tell your friends to vote for Judge X and you don't praise him as an impartial judge.

You're prejudiced against him, although you may term it a fair analysis of his ability based on what you know of him.

That's the trouble with a prejudice. . . . It's so difficult to pin it down, analyze it, and put it in the proper pigeon-hole. But that's our job—to know our prejudices when we encounter them—to know when they are edible mushrooms or poisonous toadstools.

Congressmen Find Furlough Problem Is A Chief Worry

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11—Members of Congress have had a chance to talk with their constituents during the last few weeks. It was one of the longest recesses congress has had since the outbreak of the war in Europe in 1939. Such an opportunity to appraise public sentiment back home comes rarely and it is almost worthwhile for this reason, if for no other, to have members of the Senate and House visit their states and districts.

What have the members learned that they couldn't have learned from their mail? This question is a difficult one to answer, yet almost every member will say that he gets a clearer idea of how his constituents feel when he talks to them face to face.

Unquestionably the grievances of the folks back home are not concealed from the members of Congress. There are so many questions on which Washington rulings affect business and industry as well as labor and wages and salaries and even the order of the draft in the Selective Service system that the member who does venture to go home finds plenty of discussion. He spends much of his time explaining, to be sure, that he may be an important figure to the constituents but in Washington he doesn't run either the army or the navy and he doesn't make all the rules and regulations which the citizen has to understand and then try to obey.

In a broad sense, the attitude of the citizenry is not far different from what it was during World War I. Businessmen are preoccupied with the problems of risk capital and the creation of reserves so as to keep business going when war contracts are terminated. Labor union leaders are disturbed because the Congress seems disposed to put restrictions of one kind or another on labor union activities. Mothers and fathers of service men who have been overseas a long while are beginning to ask when the boys are likely to be given furloughs. This is a question that the army and navy finds it necessary to answer over and over again. It's largely a matter of shipping and if the furloughs were granted on the basis of length of service or some other arbitrary formula, there would not be enough ships to take care of the returning soldiers and sailors—at least not enough to handle actual needs at the battle line and spare the tonnage for furloughs.

Big Furlough Pressure

Some plan for handling the furloughs is being worked on always. Undoubtedly the pressure from the parents through members of Congress has had some effect, and nearly everything that can be done is being done. But even this does not seem to be a satisfactory assurance and the member of Congress is importuned to arrange for one furlough ahead of another—matters that he really cannot control. For the army and navy can't allow political or congressional pressure to influence their method of selecting those who are given furloughs. It's the situation in each combat unit, the time needed to get replacements trained and up to the front, that counts.

Perhaps the most vital question that is bothering the people generally and one that they asked more than any other from members of Congress is: How long is the war going to last? Those who have sons in the European theatre of operations probably got the general information which Washington has been giving out, that sometime in 1944 or early 1945 the conflict in Europe might end.

One or Two Years for Japan

As for the Pacific ocean war, where 2,000,000 or more sailors and marines and a large body of soldiers are stationed, the answer given is that "in one or two years"

JET PLANE PIONEER

WORKING with a slide rule in England is Group Capt. Frank Whittle, 36-year-old RAF officer, who is credited with the development of the new jet-propulsion fighter plane. Both the USAAP and the RAF have announced that quantity production of the planes will begin soon.

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after the European war is ended, Japan will be beaten.

But the average member of Congress doesn't have any better information on these points really than does the citizen who reads the dispatches from day to day. The constituents like, nevertheless, to get the latest direct from the senators or representatives. Going back home isn't all rest or vacation, as so many observers think. It's often a bigger strain than staying right here at the capitol, but it's a necessary part of a member's career and often he learns enough about public sentiment to guide him in a general way for a year or more thereafter.

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Action Too Hasty

From the Connellsville, Pa., Courier

The railroad brotherhoods have very substantial grounds upon which to register their complete disagreement with the president in his seizure of the roads. They contended then and contend now that he acted hastily and that had the machinery long set up by law been permitted to take its course there would have been no strike, nor would there have been any need for the War department taking over.

Some historical facts set forth by brotherhood leaders are these: The Railway Labor act was adopted by Congress in 1926 and amended in 1934 and 1936. No serious strike has occurred during the life of the act. In fact, it is pointed out, there has been no general strike since 1898. Something the public does not generally understand is that a strike vote is only a preliminary to the full functioning of the act. Until there is a threatened interruption of transportation a feature of the act providing for an emergency mediation board cannot be made operative. To the credit for the workers and their employers this procedure has never failed to bring about settlement.

If any of the recent labor troubles have been seized upon by the Axis for propaganda purposes it was the apparently unwarranted seizure of the roads which provided the opportunity, not the several strikes. When it becomes necessary for a government to take over the nation's transportation system the propaganda effect can be far-reaching.

Factographs

Approximately 65,000 student nurses must be recruited within the next six months to meet minimum requirements of the armed forces.

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Problem Worse than Coal and Rail Cases Is Seen in the Threatened Steel Strike

By PAUL MALLON

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11—If anything could have been worse than the coal strike settlement, it was the railroad settlement, but worse than both together is the steel strike trouble coming up.

Steel Unionist Phil Murray already is pressuring the War Labor Board and the White House for another wage increase. This is a campaign year and he knows it. Unless he gets something, he practically says he will lose the C. I. O. to John Lewis, and the White House would sooner lose the building and fixtures to Dewey than to allow that.

But how to do it? Up to now, old Doctor "Win-the-War" (who has replaced Doctor New Deal) has been getting around his own Little Steel wage prescription—increasing wages more than it allows—by especially concocted devices such as more overtime allowances, vacations with pay, but chiefly by reclassifications. But this steel case is the formula itself, and getting around it without seeming to, will take some doing.

Pressing behind Murray are a national array of unions—shipbuilders, textiles, automobiles, aircraft, aluminum, radio, shoes and a half dozen others—with similar wage demands beyond the Little Steel formula.

Most Get Increases

Of course, most, if not all these unions, already have received increases beyond the fifteen per cent allowed in the formula. Aluminum, for instance, got that fifteen per cent and about eight or ten more hidden in reclassifications. On an average, I think these unions have received from five to ten per cent above the formula, chiefly by upgrading.

But this, of course, is never discussed aloud. Only the base pay rate is used in arguments and official papers, the reclassifications being mentioned obscurely, if at all, and never in such a way that anyone (except the particular union-industrial wage experts involved) can figure how much actual increase these amount to.

What is likely to make the trouble is that the unions have discovered the more recalcitrant and troublesome some they are, the more they are apt to get. The coal miners got \$17.5 a day increase from the government, a few hectic months after they would have taken \$12.5 from the operators. The operating railroads won eleven cents an hour increase, a few troublesome weeks after Economic Stabilizer Vinson decreed eight cents would be inflationary.

More from Roosevelt

They also have discovered they can get more by needing their way straight up to Mr. Roosevelt's desk, rather than playing along with Vinson or the War Labor Board.

A situation, indeed a predicament, thus has been created which augurs ill for union tranquility and actually invites strife.

My guess is the way Mr. Roosevelt will get around it this time is to let his Davis committee concoct some new devices allowing steel at least to get another hike, probably less than ten per cent. This is the committee appointed to look

after the European war is ended, Japan will be beaten.

But the average member of Congress doesn't have any better information on these points really than does the citizen who reads the dispatches from day to day. The constituents like, nevertheless, to get the latest direct from the senators or representatives. Going back home isn't all rest or vacation, as so many observers think. It's often a bigger strain than staying right here at the capitol, but it's a necessary part of a member's career and often he learns enough about public sentiment to guide him in a general way for a year or more thereafter.

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Eric Johnston Is Viewed as Likely Second Placer

By CENTRAL PRESS

Washington.—Political observers in Washington see a possibility that young Eric Johnston, two-time president of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, may share the Republican ticket with Gov. Thomas E. Dewey, of New York, next year.

Most circles regard Dewey's nomination as the GOP presidential candidate as extremely likely, and they point out that Johnston, whose home state is Washington, in the Far West, would be an ideal running-mate.

The Republican ticket then would represent both East and the Far West, with both candidates extremely young men with ideas looking far into the future.

One of the strongest supporters of Dewey on Capitol Hill is Senator Arthur Capper (R.) of Kansas, —a power in Republican circles in his home state.

Dewey or McArthur

"The sentiment in Kansas and other parts of the West tends toward Dewey or Gen. MacArthur," Capper said the other day.

"Either the governor or the general, if he was drafted by the party, would make a strong race and probably beat President Roosevelt if he chooses to run for a fourth term."

Both men are colorful and world-minded and could successfully prosecute the war as well as chart America's place in the post-war world.

Observers are not overlooking the possibilities that one of Ohio's two favorite sons may emerge as the party's standard bearer when the chips are down.

There is considerable sentiment for Senator Robert A. Taft, while Gov. John Bricker, of the Buckeye state, has strong backing.

Short Cut to Tokyo Seen

Look for a renewal of American aerial activity in the North Pacific, especially now that long-range bombers are coming off the assembly lines in numbers adequate to fill the needs for a global war.

Some army and navy leaders still cling to the idea that the Aleutians, despite bad weather, provide the real "short-cut to Tokyo" both by air and by sea.

Once the new super-bombers, known as the B-29, get into production they may be able to take off from Attu, hit Tokyo and return or fly to bases in China.

Paramushiro and other Jap bases in the Kuriles also should get more than just a taste of bombing, as they have so far. In American hands the Kuriles would provide the bases that would bring industrial Japan within easy bombing range as Germany is from England.

Carriers More Highly Regarded

Even among the old line naval officers the pendulum is swinging toward the aircraft carrier as one of the most important, if not the most important, vessel in the United States fleet.

For a while after the four American carriers were sunk in the Pacific it appeared that flat top were too vulnerable to be useful in battles far at sea.

However, the new carriers of the Essex class have proved their worth in recent actions around Bougainville and in the Gilberts, where they blasted land bases and fought off repeated attacks by land-based bombers.

Battleships are still useful because of the heavy pounding they can dish out, but in task force operations in the Pacific these dreadnoughts now merely are playing supporting roles to aircraft carriers.

Moreover, American naval officers have been quick to learn the best methods of using carriers in action. Of course, it is more than right that the nation that developed the carrier should have the most powerful and best operated fleet of flat tops in the world.

A Helping Hand

From the Charleston, W. Va., Daily Mail

Plans are going forward at a great rate for rehabilitation of the veterans of this war. And, it is not more than right that the country should take some notice of the debt it owes those who have jeopardized life, limb and career for their country.

The special session of the legislature has taken notice of the situation and legislation is pending in congress—with the sponsorship of the American Legion—that will go a long way in making the future less uncertain for the men who are fighting and who will fight the battles of democracy at war.

It is not a "grab-bag" proposition such as much of the past legislation for veterans has been and yet it assures each serviceman that the period of his discharge will not be followed with a job of selling apples on convenient street corners. Those on the home front have not yet awakened thoroughly to the grim realities of this war. They are conducting business-as-usual while the horrible panorama of total war passes them by in the pages of their newspapers.

It is not more than right that those at home should begin to think in the pages of their newspapers

of the war.

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Wartime Cap Used On Milk Bottle Is Bothersome

By WILLIAM C. BARNARD

DALLAS, Tex., Jan. 11.—(AP)—Wayne H. Bovee brushed milk from his new suit today and observed that advice from even the nation's ablest sources doesn't help much in getting the wartime cap off a milk bottle.

Bovee is chief of the technical advisory service of the regional smaller war plants corporation. Recently he got a letter from a creamery complaining about the War Production Board's order prohibiting the use of a wire staple in milk bottle caps.

"Lids," the letter stated, "are splitting in half, thus necessitating sticking the finger in the bottle and oft times spurring cream in the eyes and on the clothes and in many instances resulting in insurance claims."

Bovee attacked the problem earnestly. He sent letters requesting advice. What he got made a file of twelve closely-typed pages.

K. G. Weckel, associate professor of dairy industry, University of Wisconsin, recommended "a re-evaluation of the common table fork."

George J. Lincoln, Jr., of the National Association of Sanitary Milk Bottle Closure, Philadelphia, Pa., commented: "The public should have its old cap back again."

From T. Van Alstyne, manager of a paper products company in Portland, Ore., wrote: "Lift the pull tab straight up, then pull toward the center of the cap. You will find that the caps are easily removed."

Bovee consented to stage a demonstration. In a Dallas cafe, he ordered six bottles of milk while T. C. Daniell,

manager, stood by, frankly skeptical. "Somebody's going to get wet," he said. "I get so much milk on my spectacles I'm snowblind." The first cap came out fine. "I still say an ice pick is the only way," Daniell scoffed. "Everyone should carry an ice pick." The other five caps tore and had to be removed by brute force. Bovee's advice to milk bottle openers: "When all else fails—jab and pray."

Personal Items From Kempton

KEMPTON, W. Va., Jan. 11.—Charles Reed is a patient in City hospital, Elkins, W. Va.

William Bennett is a patient in Memorial hospital in Cumberland receiving treatment for an eye injury caused by a fragment of rock.

Mrs. Alberta Lewis, Crellin, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Albert Tasker.

Pvt. Donald Reed, Fort Sill, Okla., arrived this morning for a brief furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reed.

Mrs. Alfred Raines is the guest of Mr. Marquis Cross, Davis, W. Va.

Mrs. Roy Gibbs of the Red Oak section was advised of the death of her cousin, Charles Conaway.

Mrs. G. P. Smith, of Davis, and nephew, Pfc. Sterne Harman of Aberdeen Proving Ground were guests of Mrs. Omer Smith yesterday.

Mrs. Nettie Eichelberger, Mt. Lake Park, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dewey Lewis.

Mrs. Howard G. Smith is ill with influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Lewis, Oakland, were visitors at the Wotring home Wednesday evening.

Unlike steel rivets, aluminum rivets are driven in while they are very cold.

Paralyzing Cold Is New Opponent Of Fifth Army

By KENNETH L. DIXON

WITH THE AEF IN ITALY, Jan. 6 (Delayed) (AP) — Doughboys of the Fifth army who have been fighting mud and rain in the wretchedly rugged terrain of the Apennines for months are meeting a new and even tougher opponent these days—paralyzing cold.

For more than a week now the temperature has hovered from ten to twenty degrees below freezing, its effects increased by gales which carry a knifelike edge as they rip up tents behind the line and sweep away any loose articles lying around foxholes.

"Except for intense battle periods our recent casualties have been about seventy-five percent the result of cold weather," said Capt. Samuel A. Levin, hospital collecting company doctor from Chicago (915 Wilson avenue). "Trench foot is on the increase. We are getting lots of cases of frost bite and more and more gripe patients every day."

The case of trench foot, a circulatory disturbance ordinarily caused by continued wet feet, has been aggravated by the cold.

Combat Boots Help

In addition to the cold, the snow which has capped the peaks for weeks has been crawling down toward the valleys. When it falls in the foxholes and the warmth of the soldiers' body melts it, his feet become soaked, and in the coldest hours of the night the water will freeze in the foxhole.

Combat boots recently issued to the men have eased the problem of "trench foot" a great deal, according to Warrant Officer James T. Doherty, little platoon chief from Meriden, Conn., who said overshoes for

front line men also have helped.

"However, some of the soldiers find the extra weight difficult to manage on their feet when attacking and have been forced to discard the overshoes."

Lieut. Oran C. Ogden, Jr., of Parkersburg, W. Va., who is in charge of ambulances and evacuation of the wounded, said the cold has helped in one way, since it stiffened the mud. However, the snow falls

and the cold gives them some trouble with their vehicles.

Germans Suffering More

For the engineers the stiffened mud first seemed to be a boon, but "we started moving up and the boys changed their minds," said Lieut. Louis Bianchetti, twenty-seven-year-old engineer officer from North Bergen, N. J. "We had to build roads, repair bridges and bypasses and do a lot of dirty work by hand

because the ground was frozen, and chopping up the frozen dirt was even harder than mashing with the mud in many cases."

There's only one grim bit of satisfaction in the situation for the shivering soldier.

"The Japs are catching it too, and they're not as well dressed for the cold as we are. Some of the prisoners we've been taking look like they haven't been warm in weeks," said a doughboy.

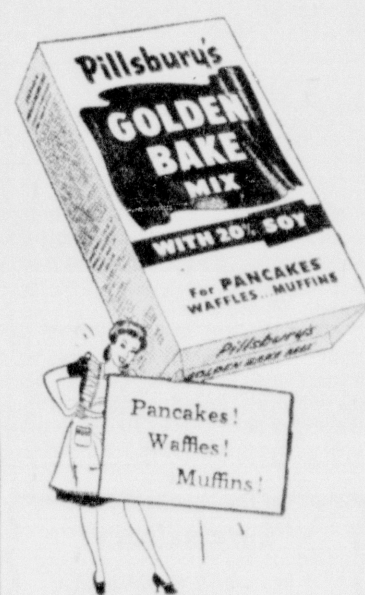
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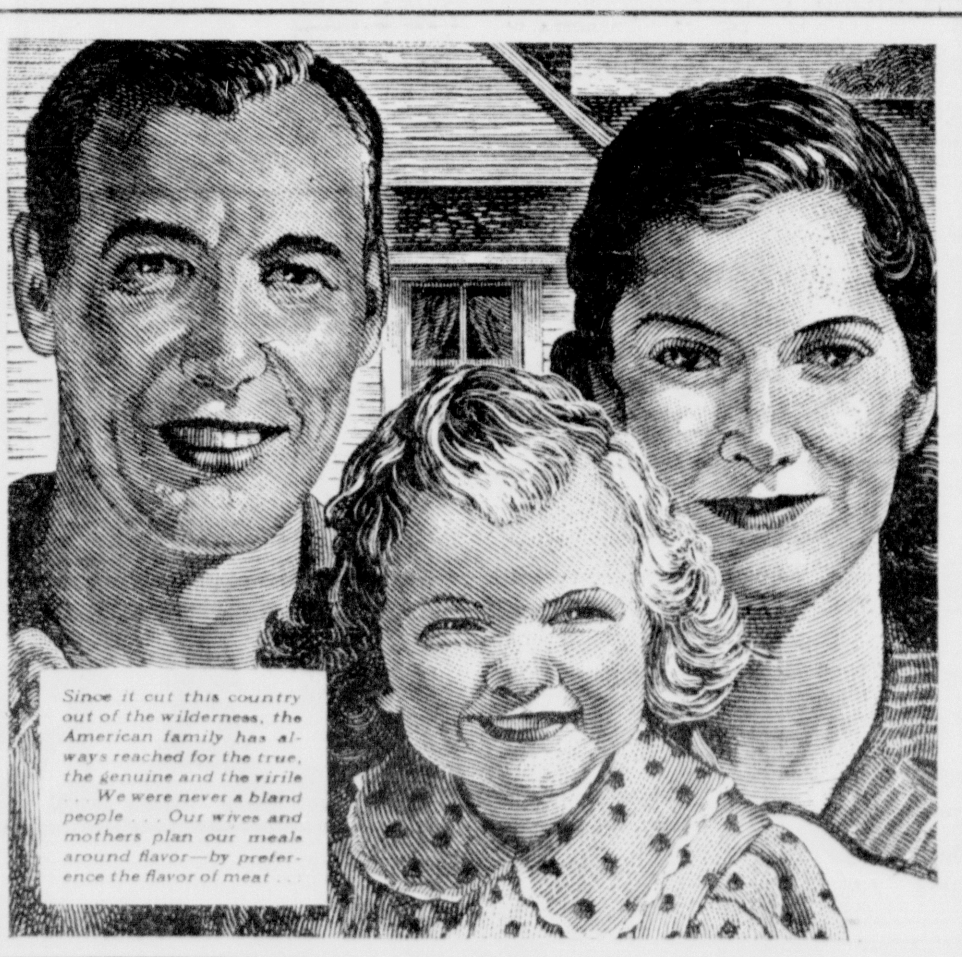
There is no way to get proteins except in the foods we eat. We need them constantly.

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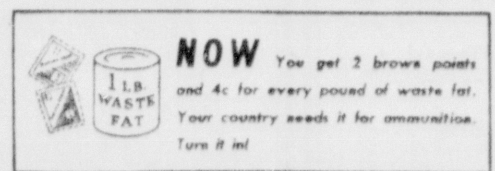
And that's why meat is such an amazing food. Nature's laboratories have concentrated in it a virtually perfect protein and have given it a flavor which has said "Come on and eat!" to the human race since the Dawn of Eating.

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INGREDIENTS

1½ lb. beef, pork, lamb or veal, cut in inch cubes
1 tsp. salt
½ tsp. black pepper
Flour
4 tbsps. lard or bacon drippings
1 heart celery, chopped
1 medium-sized onion, chopped
4 fresh or 2 oz. of canned mushrooms, sliced
2 c. water
1 c. cooked half-inch pieces of carrots
¼ c. cooked peas
1 c. diced cooked potatoes, browned in lard
2 tbsps. flour
1 tsp. chopped parsley
Pie dough*

METHOD

Season meat and roll in flour. Place the drippings or lard in a heavy kettle; heat and meat and stir until every piece is brown. Add celery, onion and mushrooms, let simmer for 5 minutes. Add the water and let simmer, covered, for 1½ hours; then stir in the carrots, peas and potatoes. Blend the 2 tablespoons flour with 2 tablespoons water and stir into broth. Bring to a boil. Place in a 2-qt. casserole. Sprinkle parsley over and cover with pie dough, slashed to allow escape of steam. Bake for 20 minutes in hot oven (425° F.) until pastry is well browned. Serves 6.
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Democratic Women's Club Re-elects Mrs. Fleming

Plans Are Discussed for Activities This Year; Party Is Planned

The United Democratic Women's Club of Allegany county re-elected Mrs. M. J. Fleming president for a fifth term, at the meeting last evening at Central Y. M. C. A., at which time Mrs. Joseph H. Griffin presided.

Mrs. Griffin was re-elected first vice-president; Mrs. J. Tom Long, second vice-president; Mrs. John Mosner, recording secretary and Mrs. Catherine Moore Landis, treasurer.

Tentative plans were discussed for activities during the year and a dinner and a series of card parties were suggested; also a membership drive.

A social will be held at the conclusion of the next meeting at which time the new officers will be installed. A corresponding secretary and chairman of the various groups will also be appointed.

Spring Gap Club Meets Tomorrow

The Spring Gap Homemakers Club will meet at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning at the community center. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected at the business session. Reconditioning overstuffed furniture under the direction of Miss

RECENT BRIDE



Photo by Goldine
Mrs. Kave, the former Miss Kathleen Regina Brant, and Corp. James Junior Kave, were married at a double ring ceremony December 16 in the First Evangelical Lutheran church, Baton Rouge, La. Mrs. Kave is residing with her father, Eugene Brant, LaVale, for the duration.

Maude A. Bean, county home demonstration agent, will feature the program.

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RANDONIS DISCUSSES DRUGS DEVELOPMENT AT CLUB MEETING

The development of drugs during the present war emergency was the topic of the talk given by John Randonis at the meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club last evening at Central Y.M.C.A.

A former instructor of pharmacy at the University of Maryland, Mr. Randonis is now associated with a pharmaceutical company specializing in the effectiveness of different drugs and the possibility of obtaining them for civilian use.

The speaker stressed the healing powers of the new drug, penicillin, especially for infection and diphtheria, and said fifty per cent is being allotted to the army, fifteen to the navy and fifteen to civilian use. He also discussed the new method of administering insulin and spoke of the various sulphur drugs and their use for civilians as well as members of the armed forces.

Mr. Randonis, who was introduced by Mrs. Louise Coulehan Dean, conducted an open forum following his talk, at which time the healing effectiveness of penicillin in contrast to the sulphur drugs was discussed. He explained that penicillin is used for specific diseases while the sulphur drugs are effective against various germs.

Mrs. Mark W. Roe, Jr., presided at the business session, at which time plans were made for Miss Louise Shaffer, chairman of international relations, to have charge of the meeting January 25. A program of panel discussions on "World Reconstruction" for future meetings was also discussed.

Mrs. Saylor Will Address Church Group

The Women's Society of Christian Service of Centre Street Methodist church will have Mrs. Edwin W. Saylor as the guest speaker at the luncheon-meeting at 12:45 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the church recreation hall. Her subject will be "Woman's Place in Kingdom Service."

Mrs. William Shockey will be in charge of the devotionals and a routine business meeting will be transacted.

Birthday Party Given For Olive Ward

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Ward entertained in honor of their daughter, Olive Virginia, with a skating party, Sunday in celebration of her thirteenth birthday.

After skating at the armory the group returned to her home, 307 Park street, where games were played and refreshments served. A birthday cake centered the table where covers were laid for fourteen.

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Two Plays Will Be Given At Ursuline Academy

Personals

Marshall Naul, 12 North Allegany street, returned last evening after spending the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Naul at their home in Sanwood, N. J.

Mrs. Lloyd R. Meyers, 224 Washington street, will leave today to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Air Cadet and Mrs. Marshall Williams, Sherman, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy D. Kave, 237 Aviret avenue, have received word that their son, Corp. James J. Kave is improving in Harding field hospital, Baton Rouge, La., where he underwent an operation, Monday.

Mrs. S. W. Kunkle, 639 Lincoln street, is improving in Memorial hospital, where she is a patient.

Miss Julia Jackson is ill at her home Aviret avenue.

Lieut. Dorothy Hartman, A. N. C. has returned to Camp Kilmer, N. J. after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George V. Hartman, 203 Wallace street.

Pfc. David H. Densmore, Combat Engineers, Camp Gruber, Okla., spent a ten day furlough with his wife, Mrs. Edith Densmore, 635 Lincoln street. They also visited at the former's home in Morgantown, W. Va.

Corp. Herman R. Shank, Huntsville Arsenal, Ala., is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Shank LaVale. He was accompanied by Miss Judy St. John, Huntsville, who is also the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Shank.

Mrs. Patrick A. Hogan, 206 Beall street, is a patient at Allegany hospital.

Seaman First Class William F. Harvey, United States Navy, is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Harvey, 211 Race street.

Pvt. William R. Yost is visiting his wife and infant daughter, patients at Allegany hospital.

Miss Bessie Kirby, 29 Browning street, is a patient at Memorial hospital, where she underwent an operation Monday morning.

Cpl. Dennis W. Bobo, 411 Cedar street, is home from Camp Campbell, Ky. His wife, the former Miss Hazel Browning, and their infant son, born January 6, are at Allegany hospital.

Cpl. Edgar "Ike" Cessna, is on a twenty-day furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William M. Cessna, 632 Fairmont avenue. This is Cpl. Cessna's first visit home in almost two years during which time he has served widely-scattered foreign stations.

Eugene B. Stein, 605 North Mechanic street, underwent an operation today in Allegany hospital.

Mrs. George Thomas, 1107 Virginia avenue, is seriously ill at Memorial hospital.

Merriell A. Dawson, R. T. 3-c, returned to Great Lakes, Ill., after being home on a nine-day furlough at his home in Wiley Ford.

Frederick B. Billmeyer, seaman second class, returned to Pasco Naval Air Base, Washington, after spending a six-day furlough with his wife, Mrs. Josephine C. Billmeyer, Clement street.

Pfc. Kyle S. Sowers returned to Fort Bragg, N. C., after spending a nine-day furlough with his wife, Mrs. Elaine Sowers, 1005 Lafayette avenue.

Pvt. Paul F. Paupel, aviation student, returned to Columbia, S. C.

Seniors Will Present "Dora Dean" and "Ramona" Jan. 17 and 18

The seniors of Ursuline Academy will present two plays next week in SS. Peter and Paul hall, Fayette street, under the direction of Leo H. Ley, assisted by Miss Irene Ley.

"Dora Dean," a three act comedy will be given January 17 and "Ramona," a three act romantic drama, will be given January 18.

The entire action of the comedy, "Dora Dean," takes place in the livingroom of "Locust Grove," the palatial home of the Deans, uncle and aunt of the orphaned Dora Dean, with whom she makes her home. The scenes open on a winter afternoon and the action includes the following summer and one year later.

Although a drudge to her Aunt Sarah and her cousin Eugenia, Dora's sunny disposition and uncomplicated sweetness wins for her the affection of all the neighbors. The play ends with Dora's finally winning through and taking her rightful place in the world.

Jane McMullen portrays the part of Dora; Mary Carmel Flook, of Mrs. Sarah Dean; Marjorie Reinhardt, Eugenia Dean; Helen Carder, Alice Dean, Eugenia's sister; Fred Small, Howard Hastings, a neighbor; Mary Frances Hill, Ella Grey Hastings, his wife; John Hayes, Stephen Grey, Ella's brother; Mary Frame, Mrs. Louise Elliott, Howard's sister; Jeanne Lippold, Mrs. Leah, housekeeper at the Hastings' home; Pauline McDermitt, Bridget, servant at Locust Grove; Kathryn Goldworthy, Joey, the handyman; John Doerner, Uncle Nat Dean, from India; Mary McLane, Mrs. Maggie O'Reilly; Ursula Lindner, Mrs. Olga Hargrove; and Barbara Carney, Mrs. Hattie Pendleton.

Bernadette McKenzie, assisted by Mary Paye Keiser, is the business manager for both productions.

Scout Leaders Will Elect Officers Tonight

Officers of the Girl Scout Leaders Association will be elected at the meeting to be held at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the little house, with Mrs. Gladys Daniels presiding. She requests all leaders to attend.

Mrs. Henry Holzhau of the organization committee will speak on her work as a scout executive in various districts.

after spending a ten-day furlough at his home in Mt. Savage.

O. O. Sterne, 514 Beall street, is recovering from pneumonia at Memorial hospital.

Robert Koelker, SC-2, Sampson Naval Training Station, N. Y., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Ada Koelker, 210 Charles street.

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WAR RELIEF BENEFITS RECITAL WILL BE GIVEN HERE FEB. 18

A war relief benefit recital under the sponsorship of the Music and Arts club will be held February 18 at the home of Mrs. Robert R. Henderson, 519 Washington street. Mrs. Maurice Matteson, pianist and Chester Abramson, violinist, with Mrs. Mary Drumm Bollino at the piano will be the artists. Plans were made at the meeting of the club Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Richard W. Trevaskis, Baltimore avenue. Mrs. Duke W. Burger is chairman of arrangements.

The program Monday evening included a duo for two pianos played by Mrs. Trevaskis and Mrs. John Dorn; a group of songs by Miss Dorothy Willson with Mrs. Herbert Platt at the piano; and two piano quartettes played by Mrs. Kenneth F. Beck, Mrs. Burger, Mrs. E. F. Avers and Mrs. Trevaskis.

Mrs. Avers, Mrs. Burger and Mrs. Dorn assisted the hostess in serving refreshments following the program.

Zimmerman Is Honored at Party

Sanford H. Buley chapter, Order of DeMolay entertained with an informal farewell party in honor of George Zimmerman, Monday evening at the home of Paul Heuer, Bedford street. A tie and shirt were presented to Mr. Zimmerman by Mr. Heuer and John Ehrbar in behalf of the chapter. Mr. Zimmerman will report for duty in the navy, at Baltimore today.

Two other members of the chapter, Roy Durrett and Ewald Ruehl will leave today for army examinations.

Cards featured the entertainment after which a buffet supper was served. Twenty-seven members attended.

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Committees Are Appointed For Past Chiefs Club

Mrs. Irma Moore Will Be Hostess at Meeting on February 14

Committees for the year were appointed by Mrs. Ruth Keifer, newly elected president of the Pale Chiefs Club of Manhattan Temple No. 8.

Pythian Sisters, at the meeting Monday evening at her home, Bedford street. Mrs. Lucinda White was co-hostess.

Mrs. Josephine Biggs, Mrs. Lee Burner, Mrs. Genevieve Wagner and Mrs. Irma Moore were appointed members of the sick committee; Mrs. Agnes Love, Mrs. Lucinda White, Mrs. Ethel Lovenstein.

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Lazarus

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34,205 loaded on line and 23,443 received from connections.

During the preceding week (the week ended January 1) the total was 57,100 including 23,246 loaded on line and 23,854 received from connections. Carloadings handled during the same week of 1939 were 61,314 comprising 40,702 loaded on line and 20,612 received from connections.

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Engineers Elect James

DETROIT, Jan. 11 (AP)—Election of William S. James, chief engineer of Studebaker Corporation, South Bend, Ind., as thirty-ninth president of the Society of Automotive Engineers was announced at the business session of the society's annual meeting here tonight.

The Louisiana Purchase doubled the area of the United States.

**Flying Ambulance Bought
By B. and O. Employees
Lost near Bengasi**

BALTIMORE, Jan. 11 (AP)—The British Ministry of Information notified the Baltimore and Ohio railroad today that the flying ambulance purchased by railroad employees and presented to the Royal Air Force has been lost in the Mediterranean near Bengasi.

The ambulance, which cost \$67,000, had done yeoman service in ferrying patients from front-line landing grounds to rear field hospitals during the push from El Alamein, the notice reported.

Baltimore and Ohio employees contributed more than \$85,000 in 1941, of which \$6,800 was used to furnish an orphan's home in England. After purchase of the flying ambulance, the remainder of the

money was used to buy radio sets for British radio workers.

**Woman, Like U. S.,
Trusts Marines**

LEWISTON, Me. (AP)—The elderly woman smiled at the Marine and said: "I have a son in the United States Marine Corps, too, but I don't suppose you know him." Sure he did. They both were stationed at Norfolk, Va. The woman, who had just purchased a watch for her boy, asked the Marine if he would give it to him when he returned to camp.

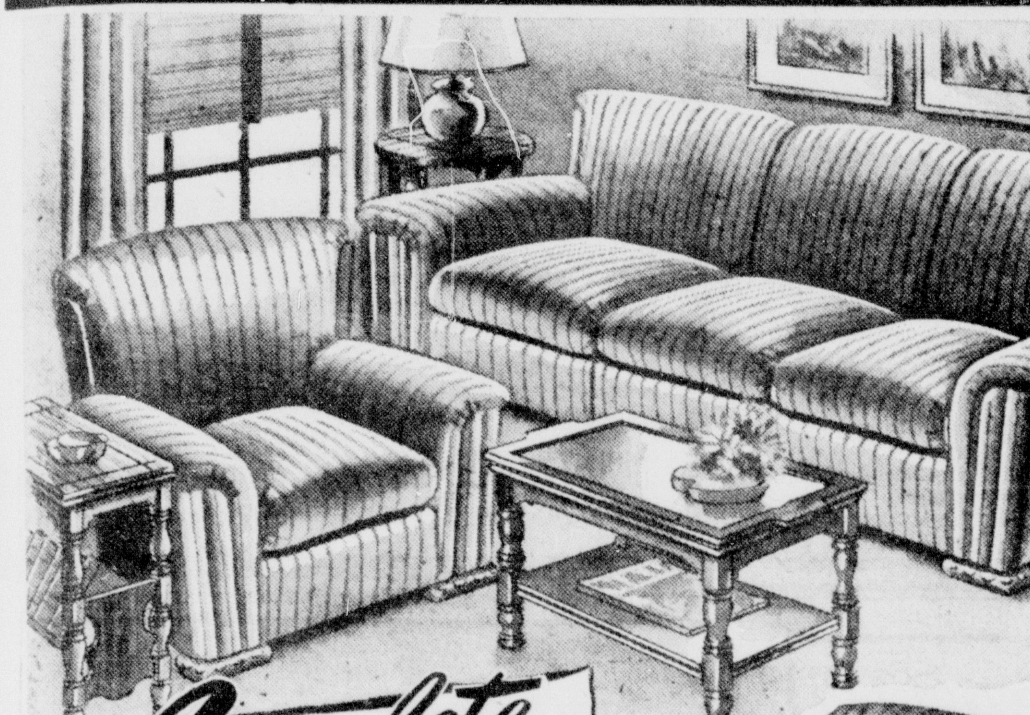
"You don't know me: how can you trust me?" he asked. She put the package in his hands and said: "I'd trust a marine with anything."

American Indians domesticated about forty plants.

Oxygen improves night vision and for that reason, night fliers in the United States Army Air Forces use oxygen masks from the time they take off.

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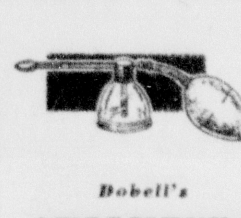
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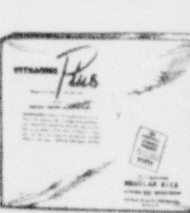
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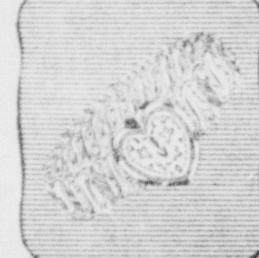
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Hunting of Wild Goats Is Newest Sport in County

Animals that Strayed from LaVale in '42 Now Make Home in Mountains

Believe it or not, but there's an open season on the hunting of wild goats in Allegany county.

In fact it has been legal to hunt wild goats in this neck of the woods since the fall of 1942 when several goats, strayed from the premises of Henry A. Everline, LaVale, and failed to report back to their owner since they left their happy home.

Goats Damage Orchards

At the time the goats took leave, Everline contacted Joseph A. Mink, regional game warden, and stated that he feared the goats would damage orchards if permitted to remain at large. He urged that they be shot if they could be found.

Mink reports that he made several trips last January to Piney mountain where the goats have strayed, located their tracks but they were very wild and he was unable to get close enough to shoot them.

Since that time nothing more has been said about these goats until recently a Prosbury hunter was reported to have killed a wild goat on Dan's mountain.

During the past few weeks several hunters from Lonaconing have written for permission to hunt these goats, reporting they have seen a number of them on Dan's mountain. According to Mink, the sportsmen seem eager to hunt them since there is no closed season on wild goats and in Maryland hunters are at liberty to hunt them.

LeCompte Gets Surprise

E. Lee LeCompte, state game warden, when asked if wild goats could be hunted in Maryland, replied: "Never heard of that species of game in this state, where are they?" He was informed by Mink that such an animal was on the loose in Allegany county.

Everline is through with the goats that deserted him and states that as far as he is concerned the goats are now the property of the Maryland Game and Inland Fish Commission.

Presbyterian Women Hear Book Review By Miss Walsh

Reviewing the book "The Apostle," by Shalom Asch, at the meeting of the Woman's Association of the First Presbyterian church, Monday evening, Miss Mary G. Walsh said that in her opinion it is superior to the author's former book, "The Nazarene." She also gave a summary of various other reviews.

The devotionals, in keeping with the same theme, were led by Mrs. J. G. Thomas, who gave a short sketch of the life of the Apostle Paul and his main teachings, with emphasis on the two commandments, love of God, and love of neighbor.

Mrs. Porter D. Collins presided at the routine business session and announced that the election of officers would be held at the February meeting, at which time the annual blessing box fund will be collected.

Miss Benson Speaks To Sorority Members

Maryland Lambda Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority had Miss Chloris Benson as the speaker at the meeting last evening at the home of Miss Betty Probes, Pulaski street.

Miss Benson, who is art instructor at Fort Hill high school, spoke on "American Art," beginning with primitive art of the Indians and continuing on through present day art, touching on the part the government and war, both World war I and II, have contributed to it. Among the artists she discussed were Gilbert Stewart and Curry and Grant Wood of the present times.

Plans were made for a white elephant sale to be held at the meeting January 25 with Miss Evelyn Bloss in charge. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Edwin R. Arthur, 133 Pennsylvania avenue.

Marriage Licenses

Marriage licenses were issued to the following couples in circuit court yesterday:

John Robert Ceryak and Ethel Ann Stem, Johnstown, Pa.

John Phillip Burkett and Melverta Jean Clair, Cumberland.

Raymond James Elliott and Mary Jane Rhode, Johnstown, Pa.

Committees Are

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and Mrs. Martha Athey, ways and means committee and Mrs. Elsie D. Lehr was appointed chairman of the entertainment committee.

Mrs. Anna M. Jenkins, Mrs. Anna Robitette, Mrs. Kate Chevront, Mrs. Emma Alstetter and Mrs. Biggs, past grand chiefs of Maryland, were appointed members of the advisory board.

Mrs. Irma Moore will be hostess at her home, Baltimore avenue, for the meeting February 14 with Mrs. Lehr as co-hostess.

One Birth Reported

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stevens, Johnstown, Pa., announce the birth of a son January 3. The father is a son of George W. Stevens, 310 Waverly terrace.

Events in Brief

The Union Grove church, Women's Society of Christian Service will meet at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs. Oscar Wilson, Valley road. At this time secret sisters will be revealed and new ones will be chosen.

The Catholical class for training in membership of St. Mark's Evangelical and Reformed church will meet at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon at the church, with the Rev. Alfred L. Creager.

The Pleasant Grove Community Sewing Group for the Red Cross will meet today in the church beginning at 9:30 o'clock this morning.

Mrs. J. R. Neely will be hostess for the Ursuline Auxiliary card party to be held at 8:30 o'clock this evening in the Alpine club, North Smallwood street.

Star of the East Sisterhood, No. 111, Dames of Malta will meet at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow evening at the Junior Order hall.

The Ladies Aid Society of Trinity Lutheran church will hold a rummage sale at 7 o'clock this morning in the parish hall, Smith and Centre streets.

Group No. 3, Central Methodist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the Sunday school room.

Mrs. D. C. Gainer will be hostess to members of the Women's Society of Christian Service of Davis Memorial church at the luncheon meeting at 12:30 o'clock today at her home, Mexico Farms.

A covered dish supper will be held by the members of the Swanson Memorial Bible class and the Ladies' Missionary Society of the Second Baptist church at 5:30 o'clock tomorrow evening in the church basement.

Salem Council No. 11, Royal and Select Masters will meet to install officers at 7:30 o'clock this evening in the temple.

The Youth Fellowship of St. Mark's Evangelical and Reformed church will hold a covered dish dinner and social at 6 o'clock Friday evening at the church. Various committees in the church will be in charge of the games folk dancing and other entertainment at the social which will conclude the evening.

The Women of the Moose, Chapter 914 will meet at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening at the home, Beall and Smallwood streets and drape the chapter in memory of Mrs. Ada Thomas. Committee chairmen are asked to have reports ready at this time. Routine business will also be transacted.

Elect Officers

Officers of the LaVale 4-H Girls club were elected at the meeting Saturday at the LaVale firemen's hall. They include June Rodda, president; Betty Lou Driver, vice-president; Joan Anna Sprow, secretary; Elizabeth M. Lowe, treasurer and Winifred Miller, publicity.

Miss Margaret T. Lear, assistant home demonstration agent, discussed the various project units and distributed material for each. The next meeting will be held at 1:30 o'clock February 2.

MEN AND WOMEN IN SERVICE

Second Lieut. William A. Stakem and wife, the former Miss Nancy June Heckler, this city, arrived here Monday for a brief leave. Lieut. Stakem, who received his commission in the army air corps at Eagle Pass, Texas, Friday, will report to Marianna field, Fla., January 22 for further training.

Clyde M. Wilson, husband of Mrs. June Wilson, Mt. Savage road, and son of Mrs. Charles G. Smith, Polk street, has been promoted to chief petty officer second class. He is stationed at Solomon Island, Md.

Mrs. Geraldine Smith, 66 Marion street, has received word that her husband, Corp. Albert H. Smith has arrived in New Guinea.

Pvt. Thos. E. "Ted" DeHart, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. DeHart, 118 South Smallwood street, has been transferred from Sheppard Field, Texas, to an aerial gunnery school at Harlingen, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Conway, 17 Humbird street, have been advised of the arrival in England of their son, Staff Sgt. Donald W. Conway.

Mrs. Dorothy Hughes, 212 West Third street, in a recent letter from her husband, Pvt. Elmer Hughes, learned that he had met her brother, this city, is a recent graduate

ther. Pfc. Howard Carder on the Italian war front.

Pvt. Paul J. Ziler, 305 Virginia avenue, is a patient in the camp hospital at North Camp Polk, La., where he will undergo a throat operation.

Mrs. Nora Johnson, 409 Independence street, has been advised of the arrival of her husband, Dilton E. Johnson, at an undisclosed foreign port as a member of the Merchant Marine.

Grant Zollner, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Zollner, 401 Laing avenue, has been made a staff sergeant at Fort Benning, Ga., where he was recently awarded a medal for good conduct.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Klingler, LaVale, have received word their son, Pvt. Robert G. Klingler, has arrived somewhere in New Guinea.

Mrs. Dorothy Berkard, 38 Greene street, has been advised that her husband, John V. Berkard, has been promoted to sergeant in England.

He was formerly employed by Peoples Drug Store.

Mrs. Mary Grady, Keyser, W. Va., has been advised of the arrival of her husband, Chief Petty Officer Ernest Grady, the son of Mrs. Ida Valentine, Oldtown road.

Hannah E. Golladay, Bedford road, was recently sworn in as a member of the United States Coast Guard Reserve in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert House, 181 Thomas street, have been advised of the arrival in England of their son, Cpl. Lester House.

Aviation Cadet Walter J. Stimmler, this city, is a recent graduate

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To Send Forty Men
For Examination****Robert E. Lemmert, Frost-
burg, To Be Leader;
Group Will Leave Today**

FROSTBURG, Jan. 11 — Forty selectees from Draft Board No. 4 will leave Frostburg Wednesday morning, January 12, for the Baltimore induction station to take their final physical examination for military service.

Robert E. Lemmert, this city, was named leader. Others from Frostburg are Raymond P. Kenney, Harry R. Keller, George Wellings, Jr., James P. Donahue, Archibald MacMillan, Eugene T. Bush, negro; John E. Troutman, R. F. D.; Frostburg and Robert E. Grimes, R. F. D., Frostburg, transferred from Somerset, Pa.

Other Communities

Those from other communities are Austin Clinton Kennel, Cumberland; Francis Llewellyn, Midland; Harry Junior Lewis, Nipek; Earl Joseph Youngblood, Westernport; John Urban Johnson, Route 1, Frostburg; Earl Guy Hawk, Westernport; Allan Russell Cutler, Lonaconing; James A. Via, Zihlman; Harry William Evans, Westernport; Clarence Edward Burkett, Mt. Savage; Ernest Clyde Wilson, Westernport.

David Franklin Ricekew, Mt. Savage; Bruce Edward Cave, Luke; William Phillip Thomas, Eckhart; James Vernon Porter, Mt. Savage; Claude Willard Preston, Baltimore; will meet bus in Baltimore; James Bogie, Lonaconing; John Alvin Peterbink, Mt. Savage; Augustine Aveline Diaz, Luke; John William Yantz, Route 1, Frostburg; William Francis Simpson, Route 1, Frostburg; Donald Cecil Broadwater, Barton; Harrison Ray Hanlin, Westernport.

Mt. Savage Man Called

John Alvin Carder, Mt. Savage; Oliver David Morgan, Route 1, Frostburg; James Laraine Lee, Lonaconing; John James Pattison, Route 1, Westernport; Charles Joseph Miller, Lonaconing; James Thomas Brannon, Jr., Mt. Savage; Earl James Pressman, Route 1, Frostburg; Wantford Dewey Sween, Zihlman, (transferred from Johnstown, Pa.)

Whetstone Rites Held

Final rites for Mrs. Rachael Whetstone, 81, widow of Peter Whetstone, who died Saturday morning at her home 84 Hill street, were held Tuesday, 2:30 p. m., at First Congregational church, Bowers street, with the Rev. J. F. Zimmerman, pastor, in charge of the services.

The pallbearers were Charles Kerr, James Lawrence and Samuel Whetstone, Robert Switzer and Wendell Irwin. Interment was in Allegany cemetery.

Announce Marriage

Elmer Hubert Caton, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Caton, Pinzel, and Miss Pearl Dorothy Caton, (not

**H. L. Shroyer
Celebrates His
Eightieth Birthday**

HYNDMAN, Pa., Jan. 11 — A birthday dinner was given today by Mrs. Albert Bruck in honor of her father's H. L. Shroyer, birthday, he having reached the eightieth birthday January 4. Attending the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bruck, Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Shroyer, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund G. Manges and children, Edmund Lee, Kay, and Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Evans and son, Robert, Mr. Luther G. Shroyer, and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Carpenter and son, Gary, all of Hyndman; Mr. and Mrs. Earl E. Manges and daughters, Faith and Xina Hope Flintstone; and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bruck and children, Wayne and Carol Jean, of Odenton. Mr. Shroyer has nine children, twenty-four grandchildren, and fourteen great-grandchildren.

related) daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Caton, also of Pinzel, were married Monday, January 10, at the Parsonage of Mt. Zion Welsh Baptist Memorial church. The ceremony was performed at 10 p. m. by the Rev. W. D. Reese, pastor.

The attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Caton, father and mother of the bride, and Mrs. Mary Brown, all of Pinzel. The couple will reside at Pinzel where the bridegroom is employed as a clay miner.

Frostburg Briefs

Star of America Council, No. 2, this city, meeting last evening, installed the following officers: Sally Morgan, councillor; Emily Walker, associate councillor; Virgie Dennison, vice-councillor; Stella Walker, assistant vice-councillor; Rella Knepp, inside guard; Delcie Stark, outside guard; Mrs. Rephann, guide; Marie McClintock, recording secretary; Elsie Conrad, financial secretary; and Vivian Lloyd, treasurer.

The Eckhart Square Circle Sportsmen's Association will meet Sunday, January 16, at 4 p. m., all officers and members are asked to attend. A smoker will follow the business meeting.

The Pioneer club of Mt. Zion Welsh Baptist Memorial church was entertained last evening at the home of Miss Louise Plummer, with Miss Annie Lindsay, assistant hostess. A guest prize was awarded to Mrs. Mabel Shumaker.

Dr. George H. McClellan, English teacher at State Teachers college, left today to begin preliminary training at Columbia university for Y. M. C. A. work under the U.S.O. service. He came here six and a half years ago and has been active in general community life. He was director of student publications at the college. He attended numerous educational conferences in Maryland and many national conferences while a resident, which kept him in touch with colleges throughout the nation. Dr. McClellan received his Ph. D. degree from Ohio State university, Columbus, of which city he was a former resident. His mother, with whom he resided on Broadway, died several months ago.

The McKenzie Sunday school class of St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Thomas Harris, Grant street.

Mr. and Mrs. David Norris, Mt. (Continued on Page 15, Col. 8)

**Council Will Take
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On Flood Damage****Westernport Citizens Are
Asked To Clear Only
Half of Pavements**

WESTERNPORT, Jan. 11 — At the regular meeting of the Westernport Mayor and City Commissioners held last night, property owners of Church street appeared before the mayor and commissioners in regards to the debris under the Western Maryland bridge.

They requested that steps be taken to prevent any damage to property in case of floods.

The clerk was instructed to write Horace P. Whitworth, Sr., city attorney, in regards to this condition and ask him to take immediate action.

Citizens are hereby requested by the council to shovel only the inner half of their sidewalk thus leaving the snow on the outer half. This would improve parking conditions since the snow, which at present is being thrown into the street, makes it almost impossible to park.

Brief Mention

The regular meeting of the Public Health Lay committee will be held Thursday night at 8 o'clock at the health center, Westernport.

The Piedmont chapter of the American Red Cross will start to make surgical dressings tomorrow (Wednesday) at 1:30 to 5 p. m. and will continue each afternoon with the exception of Saturday at the Sunday school rooms of the Presbyterian church, Piedmont.

The Piedmont and Fish Conservation club will meet Friday evening, January 14, at 7:30 o'clock at the Tri Towns fire hall, Piedmont. There will be election of officers and refreshments will be served.

Personals

Lieut. Marie J. Sargus, A.N.C., Camp Livingston, La., who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Anna Sargus, Westernport, left yesterday morning for Baltimore to spend a short time with her brother, the Rev. Edward Sargus, St. Bernardine's Catholic church. She left Baltimore today to report to Camp Livingston, La.

Ensign Okey Michael received a commission at Bainbridge last week. He is spending a leave with his wife, and will report to Princeton university, Princeton, N. J., Friday. Prior to entering the navy, he was a member of the Bruce high school faculty.

Pfc. Landon B. Rice, Camp Tyson, Tenn., underwent a minor operation at a hospital in Tennessee Friday. His wife, Mrs. Ruth Rice, left this evening for Tennessee to visit him.

Miss Nellie Ryan, Piedmont, is attending the style show, at the William Penn hotel, Pittsburgh.

Pfc. James A. Welsh, III, Norfolk, Va., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Welsh, Jr., Church street, over the weekend. (Continued on Page 15, Col. 8)

**Former Keyser
Pastor To Assist
At Church Services**

KEYSER, Jan. 11 — Dr. William A. Wilt, pastor at Lebanon Valley college, Annville, Pa., preached the opening sermon of a two-week evangelistic campaign in Calvary United Brethren church last night. Dr. Wilt was formerly pastor of the local church and comes back to aid the present pastor, the Rev. R. L. Brill, in a season of evangelistic services. There will be services each night except Saturday.

To Hold Services

The Rev. Lacy H. Burns, pastor of First Methodist church, will go to Franklin Wednesday to assist the Rev. Dantz K. Knowles in a two-week series of evangelistic services. The Rev. B. M. Rollins, evangelist of the Church of the Brethren, will preach Sunday morning and night for the Rev. Mr. Burns.

Home on Leave

Richard A. Fleck, s/c petty officer, navy, who has been in active service in the Pacific war area for eight months, is home on a thirty-day leave. He shipped on the aircraft carrier Saratoga and was engaged in three major engagements, Rabaul, Bougainville and Tarawa.

He will spend most of his leave with his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Fleck at Rees Mill. He will report to San Diego, Calif., at the end of his leave for further assignment.

Personals and Briefs

Miss Ann McCauley, Mineral county health nurse who spent the holidays with friends in Winchester and Front Royal, returned to her office today.

J. E. Prettyman, county agricultural agent, and Miss Florence Howard, county club agent, are attending an extension conference in Morgantown this week from Monday till Friday.

Andy Millar, stockman of near Port Ashby, attended the government sale at the Front Royal, Va., Remount station, yesterday. The sale will close tomorrow. Millar will return for the closing day. Fifteen hundred and fifty cavalry and artillery horses and mules are being sold.

Mrs. Emma Wells, Keyser, is a medical patient in Potomac Valley hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Root, Westernport, announce the birth of a son at Potomac Valley hospital today.

Young women, married or single, who wish to aid in relieving the nurse shortage may enroll in attendant classes in Potomac Valley hospital. Interested women are requested to call at the hospital between 9 and 11 a. m. and 3 and 5 p. m.

Commander J. Paul Blundon who has been home on leave for thirty days has returned to Washington for further assignment. Commander Blundon served eighteen months in the Pacific war zone. Mrs. Blundon accompanied him to Washington.

Lieut. James Fraser, Camp Barkley, Texas, is home to visit his wife and daughter at Potomac Valley hospital. His furlough is for ten days.

**Grant County Girl
Becomes Bride of
Sergeant Renager**

PETERSBURG, Jan. 11 — Mr. and Mrs. Homer Rohrbaugh, Martin, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Genevieve June Rohrbaugh, to Master Sgt. Samuel W. Renager, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Renager, Shelbyville, Tenn., December 10. The wedding took place in Rockville, Md., with the Rev. C. O. Cooper, pastor of the Baptist church, officiating.

The bride wore a white wool dress with brown accessories. Miss Jerolee Painter was her only attendant.

Mrs. Renager attended Petersburg high school and Keyser high school and has been employed with the War department in Washington, D. C., for the last year.

Sgt. Renager is a graduate of Mississippi State university and attended the University of North Dakota. Before joining the army in 1938 he was employed as a civil engineer. At present he is stationed at Camp Claiborne. The couple will reside at Camp Claiborne.

Personals

Melvin C. Munzring is spending this week in Morgantown and Fairmont campaigning for congressman from this district.

Miss Arzella Thorn has gone to New London, Conn., to visit friends. John Groves has returned from Cumberland where he was visiting his daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dettinburn, Lexington, Okla., who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Newton Feaster, Lahmansville, have returned. Mr. Dettinburn is stationed in the army there.

J. T. Snyder, Lahmansville, is ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Newton Feaster.

Lieut. (j.g.) John W. Trenton who has been here visiting his mother.

**Fire Destroys
Apartment House
In Mt. Savage****Lack of Water Hampers
Firemen; Occupants
Escape Safely**

MT. SAVAGE, Jan. 11 — The "Burrell House," Foundry row, was completely destroyed early this morning when, for the second time in the past two months, fire broke out in the building. The flames were discovered at 5:30 o'clock by an employee of the local brick plant. The Mt. Savage Volunteer Fire Company arrived a few seconds after the alarm was given, and in a short time they received aid from the Frostburg company.

The fire, however, had already gotten beyond control and lack of sufficient water in the community made it impossible to save the house.

The house, built in 1880 by the late J. P. Burrell, was one of the largest and most outstanding structures in town. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lennox purchased the property three years ago and converted it into a modern apartment house. The entire building was remodeled and repaired. It contained twelve rooms and porches and sun parlors on each floor.

Two months ago the interior of the building was damaged by fire, which had apparently originated between partitions. Mr. and Mrs. Lennox and two other families residing in apartments in the house, escaped without injury, but most of the furnishings were destroyed by fire and water.

Contractors were to arrive today to begin repairs on the house and it was reported that a fire had been built in the furnace yesterday to have the place heated for the workers. No cause has been given for the outbreak of the second fire.

The exact amount of damage has not yet been estimated.

Mt. Savage Briefs

The Mt. Savage Lions Club will meet tomorrow (Wednesday) evening at 8 o'clock in the recreation hall of the Methodist church. Edward Conway will be in charge. A party for the benefit of St. Patrick's Catholic church will be held Friday evening at 8:30 o'clock in the parish hall.

The Youth Fellowship group of St. George's church will meet tomorrow (Wednesday) evening at 7:30 o'clock in the parish house.

Mrs. W. D. Trenton has returned to Norfolk, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Peck and sons, Baltimore, are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ashenfelter.

Miss Mernie Cleaver, Baltimore, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Cleaver, Rough Run, has returned.

Mrs. Homer Schaffer remains ill at her home here.

Fred Hinkle, Gettysburg, Pa., who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hinkle, Rough Run, has returned home.

Lieut. Lyle T. Veach, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Veach, Mayville, has returned to Philadelphia.

Marshall Porter has returned from visiting relatives at Clarksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Lynch, Durham, N. C., who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Riggelman, have returned home.

**Former Resident
Of Parsons Dies
In Berkley Springs**

PARSONS, Jan. 11 — Stark Coberly of Parsons left today for Berkley Springs where he was called due to the death of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Jennie Parker Hovermale, 73, who died at her home there on Monday morning following a five-year illness.

Mrs. Hovermale was born and reared near Paw Paw, but had her home with Ex-Sheriff and Mrs. Stark Coberly for years until the death of Mrs. Coberly six weeks ago.

She is survived by her husband, E. K. Hovermale; four brothers, one sister and one daughter, Mrs. Hazel McCarey of Tallahassee, Fla.

Quota Is Set

The Rev. A. B. Mann, Tucker county chairman of the American Red Cross called a meeting in Parsons on Monday afternoon at which time he announced that the new quota for this county for the Red Cross had been set at \$5,700. The quota has been divided into \$2,400 for the towns of Parsons and Thomas with \$900 for Davis.

Last year's quota of \$4,500 was exceeded by approximately \$300. D. H. Kight, Thomas, will again be county chairman of the drive which will officially open on March 1 and continue throughout the entire month.

Club To Meet

The Rev. R. E. Hiller, pastor of the St. John's Methodist church of Parsons, will be the guest speaker at the first meeting of the Women's club for the new year to be held in the club rooms of the Community building Friday evening at 8 p. m. Music for the evening will be in charge of Mrs. Herman Lambert. The program is in charge of Mrs. Warren Rightmire.

Officers Elected

The Thomas Volunteer Fire Department held its annual election of (Continued on Page 13, Col. 5)

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**WOMAN DIES FIVE
DAYS AFTER SON
COMMITTS SUICIDE**

OAKLAND, Jan. 11 — Mrs. Elizabeth Connaway, widow of John T. Connaway, aged 76 years and ten months old, died Monday, January 10, in the General hospital at Mansfield, O. She was a resident of near Red House and had gone to Mansfield with one of her sons on Sunday, January 2, on account of her health. She was taken to the hospital for treatment on January 5, the same day that her son, Elmer Connaway, 56, died as the result of a self-inflicted wound at their farm home.

Mrs. Connaway had been ill in health for several years. She was a member of the Lutheran church at Red House.

Surviving are three sons, Harry Connaway, Akron, O.; Clarence and Raymond Connaway, Mansfield; four sisters, Mrs. Margaret Allen, Keyser, W. Va.; Mrs. Emma Connaway, Bayard, W. Va.; Mrs. Almendra Baer, Gorman, W. Va.; and Mrs. Tena Murphy, Pittsburgh, Pa.; also two brothers, John and Charles Blamie, Gorman, W. Va.

The remains were brought to the Golden funeral home, Oakland, and will be taken to (Continued on Page 13, Col. 7)

**Athletic Group
Presents Program
At Central High**

LONA CONING, Jan. 11 — The Athletic Association of Central high school presented the assembly program on Monday afternoon in the auditorium.

The program included: flag salute; "The Star Spangled Banner"; prayer and scripture; solo, Marylea Henry; selections by the "Bonnie Shells"; song, Doris Crichton; Marilyn Foote, Leah Dudley and Edna McFarlane.

Dance, Shirley Baumann, piano solo, Betha Johnson; song, George Kelly; song, the boys basketball squad; announcements, Arthur F. Smith, principal.

Suffers Injuries

Robert Connors, 49, of Dudley street, suffered severe injuries while at work Sunday at the West Virginia Pulp and Paper mill at Luke when both his arms were caught in the machinery. He was taken to (Continued on Page 13, Col. 8)

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Frank Sinatra's Songs Enrich New Film Hit

A get-rich-quick scheme evolved by a group of unpaid servants and their penniless employer forms the framework on which is hung the gay romance, hilarious comedy, and catchy song hits of "Higher and Higher," RKO Radio's new tune-film starring Michele Morgan, Jack Haley and Frank Sinatra and starting at the Liberty tomorrow.

Miss Morgan plays the role of the scullery maid and Haley that of the valet in the sparkling picture, with Leon Errol heading the featured cast as the bankrupt socialite owner of the mansion where most of the action takes place. Sinatra, who makes his acting debut in the film, has the part of a shy young songwriter who lives next door.

"In Old Oklahoma" Opens On Maryland Screen Today

Turning back a few pages of history, Republic brings a robust episode from the days of our national development to the screen in its deluxe photoplay, "In Old Oklahoma," based on Thomson Burtis' story, "War of the Wildcats," which opens today at the Maryland theater. John Wayne, Martha Scott, Albert Dekker, Marjorie Rambeau, George "Gabby" Hayes, Cecil Cunningham and Grant Withers appear in the film.

The emancipation of women plays an important part in the plot. Cathy Allen, played by Martha Scott, has written a book filled with revolutionary ideas about the place of women in the expanding nation. Although she is in reality a very naive and unworried person herself, the citizens of her town rise up in righteous wrath and expel her from their midst.

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Yankee Senorita

BY LORENA CARLETON

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running around banging things. And his eternal yelling. I'm here to rest, Prism, to REST!"

"Jehosaphats! If this is restin', bring on the work."

Mallory continued her somewhat ridiculous defiance. "Suppose it is slightly stormy? It's a wonderful change, just the same. Here, there are new customs, new people. There is a new atmosphere, Prism." While talking, Mallory had to admit that what actually held her in the foreign country was Tod Patrick. Rather, the fear of his taunts, if she should

skitter home. She'd never hear the last of it.

"I wouldn't know about the country," came Prism's dry condemnation, accompanied by a glance out the fog-banked car window. "I can't see any country right now."

But soon they were able to see a bit of country again. They dropped swiftly from the cloud and fog skies down a thousand feet into a beautiful valley, and there lay the town of Jacala. A cluster, two clusters, in fact, one on each side of the highway, of weather-worn crude plaster houses, tiny stores, cantinas and small, quaint hotels. Although these buildings showed clearly, they at the same time were damp and clouded by the overhead grayness.

"I'm hungry," the girl said. "I'm going into this little restaurant and get something."

In a few minutes she returned with a mixture of meat, onions, lettuce, all covered with a spicy gravy to be carefully managed so that it did not go down the front of one's clothing. Also, she had two bottles of Mexican beer.

Prism's eyes slanted down her nose as she deliberated over the first bite.

"Wish I know'd what's in this mess." "Maybe it's better you don't. It might be a fried cactus worm. They do eat them here, you know," she said pleasantly, enjoying the dismay on the colored woman's face.

But Prism took a mouthful nev-

ertheless. "Beef," she informed the girl coldly. "And it's good. I'm going to make some of these for Mr. Tod when we get back to New York."

They had been walking about, admiring what they could see of the view, while they had their lunch. Now they climbed back into the car and headed on.

"Just more of the same," Prism commented, as they pursued the circuitous road.

For a while she was right. Mile after mile of the same mountainous country, dripping with fog. But presently the early afternoon heat began lifting that fog, clearing the majesty of the mountains. Too, the roadside growth was changing. Tropical dampness was giving way to desert dryness, similar to that below Laredo. The soil, slightly volcanic now, was covered with globe cacti and organ pipe. It grew warmer and warmer.

Prism was reading from a folder, given Mallory at one of the inspection points. "It says there's a big tree next town. More than 40 feet around. Some piece of kindling!" She was peering left as they reached Zimapan. "There!" she pointed past Mallory's nose at the enormous cypress that lived up to its publicity. A castle of a tree that made a person feel happy and humble, both at once.

Except for gasoline and oil—and to have the top put down on the car—they did not stop again on the arduous trip into the city. After the sun sank, the girl regretted having had the top lowered, for the chill that the altitude brings on at

night began to penetrate her very bones.

She regretted another thing. The route into the city, so simple on paper, became an intricate thing of twisted streets, with intersecting street that permitted only one-way driving. Too, the corners exhibited everything except a sign-post. Even in the day light the girl was not sure she could have found her way; in the dark she was dismally lost.

In some manner she had strayed into one of the cheaper sections and now found the car surrounded by dirty lights, strange noises and smell, people who got in the way of the automobile, pointed at her hair and yelled unintelligible remarks to other people. Children leaped onto the back of the car, rode along, shouting and giggling, burst into Habana from "Car-

"Worse'n drivin' across to get on Triborough bridge," grumbled Prism.

Mallory did not reply. She didn't know what to do. Then she had an idea. She pulled to the curb and stopped, clambered quickly to a perch on the back of the seat and burst into Habana from "Car-

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LaSalle Cagers Down Fort Hill 43-36 in "Foul-Shooting" Contest

Officials Call 47 Personal Fouls in Rugged Battle, Decided in Last Quarter

The LaSalle High Explorers, opening defense of the city scholastic basketball championship, emerged with a 43-36 victory over the Fort Hill High Sentinels in a rough and rugged "foul-shooting" contest last night before 500 fans on the SS Peter and Paul school floor.

The officials, Charles "Chick" Innes and Cliff Fearer, plastered a total of forty-seven personal fouls on the teams with LaSalle drawing one more than Fort Hill.

The clash was a high-pressure affair from start to finish with the Explorers, starting five of Ed Gunning, Charles Steiner, Norman Geatz, Jack Steiner and Joe Becker running up a 9-5 lead in the first period.

In the see-saw second round, Fort Hill tied the score with five minutes to go and stayed in front until a minute remained before the Explorers could falter their lead. The close of the third period found the Blue and Gold holding a 29-24 advantage.

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nineteen of its thirty-two foul chances, Fort Hill, if it had been "on" at the foul stripe, could have won on gift tosses. However, the Sentinels could convert only fourteen of thirty-four throws.

Fifteen personal fouls were called in the first quarter, nine in the second and third and fourteen in the final chapter. McCoy and McGill were Fort Hill's scoring aces, each snaring eleven tallies.

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Golden Tornado Shatters Yellow Jackets' Seven-Game Streak

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The victory was Keyser's fourth in six games this year and sent the Tornado off to a good start in the Potomac Valley Conference race. For Moorefield, the setback shattered a seven-game winning string.

A dozen Keyserites saw service with Jim Clevenger setting the scoring pace with twelve points. The Golden Tornado piled up a 13-6 edge in the first period and coasted to victory, leading 21-14 at the half and 33-18 at the end of the third quarter.

The Jackets' setback scrambled the conference chase. Capon Bridge, Keyser, Parsons and Ridgeley are on top with a single victory apiece. Romney and Piedmont have yet to open conference campaigns.

In the preliminary tussle tonight, the Keyser junior high unit defeated the Moorefield junior high outfit, 24-14. The main game lineups:

KEYSER: Clevenger, 10-12; C. Steiner, 10-12; N. Geatz, 10-12; J. Steiner, 10-12; J. Becker, 10-12; J. McGill, 10-12; J. Shaffer, 10-12; J. Squires, 10-12; J. Whitman, 10-12; J. McCoy, 10-12.

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Jack's Manager Gets Reprimand From Commission

One Commissioner Actually Agrees Referee Was Incompetent

By SID FEDER
NEW YORK, Jan. 11 (AP)—Chick Wergles, the big noise in the little man, was hauled before the state athletic commission today to explain some mean things he said about one of its referees—and much to Chick's surprise, he not only was set free but one commissioner actually agreed with him.

The whole thing centered around Chick's charges against Eddie Joseph who referred last Friday's fistie fox-frot between Beau Jack and lightfoot Lou Costantino. Immediately after the fight, in which the Jumping Jack won a split decision, Chick let out a "we wug robbed" howl over the motives which inspired Joseph to give Costantino the fight, eight rounds to two. Wergles manages Jack.

Later, Chick said he guessed he just popped off too much, but that while he wasn't arguing against Joseph's honesty, he thought the referee was incompetent. For these remarks, he was invited to appear before the fistie fathers today, and for the first time in his life was so surprised he practically was unable to say a word because Dr. Chilian Powell, most recently appointed member of the state's three-man commission, upheld his charge that Joseph was incompetent in that particular punch-party.

The result was that after reminding Wergles that it could have tossed a \$5,000 fine or a suspension at him, the commission let him go with only a reprimand for making his original statements about Joseph.

General John J. Phelan, the commission chairman, didn't go along with Dr. Powell's opinion about Joseph. He pointed out, instead, that in the past, "all our experience with Joseph has been that he is competent and a good official."

"But a check of the records shows," the general added, "that any official who shows any incompetence—he seldom acts again as long as I've been on the commission."

Service Law Would Bring a Showdown On Status of Sports

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11 (AP)—President Roosevelt's recommendation for a national service law may bring to a final decision whether sports is essential to the war effort—a verdict long sought in the sports world and in Congress.

Rep. Weiss (D-Pa.), leader of a group of legislators which has been striving to have sports so classified, said tonight that if such a law is passed it "will bring a definite showdown."

A service law would mean that athletes, as well as all other able-bodied persons, would be liable to specific war-effort assignments in war production plants. Thus, if—say—professional baseball is to survive next summer, some one in authority must rule a ball player essential to the war effort for the sake of civilian morale.

Weiss and his group say it goes farther than civilian morale—that the soldiers and sailors want sports continued, want to know how the Dodgers are doing before they ask anything else of visitors to the battlefronts.

The Ridgeley regulars saw service less than half of the contest with Ridgeley using every one of the thirteen boys making the trip here. The Blackhawks led 12-2 at the quarter, 22-12 at the half and 39-21 at the close of the third period.

Jim Phillips set the pace for the visitors with fourteen points while Hamlin sparked the rookie Petersburg club with thirteen markers.

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Florida Racing Booms with Land Office Business

Horse and Dog Track Pari-Mutuels Whirl at Dizzy Pace

By JOHN WILDS
MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 11 (AP)—The race-goer who helped set some dizzy betting records in the North last summer has come to Florida for the winter, with plenty of money in his pockets.

And he has a well-heeled cousin down this way who also likes to see "em run and isn't timid about backing his choices with cash.

Horse and dog track pari-mutuel machinery is whirling at a pace which would have brought words of satisfaction from operators even in prewar days where there were no worries about transportation and when the army and navy didn't occupy a lot of the hotels.

This, mind you, a scant twelve months after a ban on pleasure driving forced the suspension of all horse racing and closed some of the dog tracks.

"Take yesterday — "Blue Monday" some places — for example. At five pari-mutuel establishments within twenty miles of Flagler street and Miami avenue a total of 15,509 paying patrons turned out and laid an aggregate of \$816,757 on the line. That's an average of more than \$52 a person, and at gorgeous Hialeah park, where 7,242 bet \$581,651, the average was more than \$80.

During the first three days the horses ran at Hialeah, the average daily handle was \$587,572. The season's average for the last meeting before the war was \$553,416, and for the months just after Pearl Harbor was \$520,185.

The golden avalanche started with the first half of Tropical Park's \$7,109,922, unprecedented in the split meeting, when the sum of winter at that horse track, was wagered during twenty days.

The West Flagler Kennel Club, one of the most easily reached dog tracks, has had an average play of \$102,058 a night this season—nearly double the handle for the same period of last season when the track operated with hardly any opposition from horse racing.

A Record List
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The Sportlight by GRANTLAND RICE

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Golf Back in Action
In the wake of the Miami tournament, it was a breath of old times to see competitive golf make the headlines again in Los Angeles. Certainly there is no artistry in any sport that quite compares to a Sammy Snead swinging wood and iron.

Golf of this type requires a combined art and science, plus a nerve control and a concentration, that no other game demands.

The pros all tell you today that Byron Nelson is the finest hitter of a golf ball that has been in circulation for many years. But Byron Nelson tells you that Sammy Snead is the finest swinger he ever saw. And Nelson is right. The main difference was this, Nelson could concentrate and Snead could only concentrate in spots.

But in my thin book, Snead could get results with less effort, with a finer smoothness, than anyone I ever saw swing either wood or iron. Major Robert T. Jones, who was no bad swinger on his own, agrees with this verdict. You can dig up many a warm argument along these lines.

Jesse Sweetser has always rated Gene Sarazen as one of the soundest all around golfers, including both the physical, mental and psychological sides, he has ever seen. Others award this combination to Walter Hagen, one of the great masters.

Craig Wood places Lawson Little high on the list as a great swinger and a great competitor any time he was ready to go all out.

And in this combination of club swinging, concentration and determination, Craig was never far away from the top.

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Wrestling Violations Listed by Commission

NEW YORK, Jan. 11 (AP)—The state athletic commission, which for years has recognized wrestling matches simply as exhibition and not contests, today issued an order imposing a \$50 fine and suspension of license for any grappler guilty of:

- 1—Throwing an opponent out of the ring.
- 2—Using the drop kick on an opponent.
- 3—Trying to drive an opponent's head against a ring post.

The No. 3 violation, the commission agreed, can do serious harm even to a wrestler.

Barney Ross May Be Discharged from Service

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11 (AP)—Barney Ross, of the marines, former lightweight and welterweight boxing champion, is to be given a medical examination to determine whether he will remain in service.

No additional information was given by the navy in announcing this today. Ross saw service in the South Pacific.

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about \$2,000,000,000 instead of the \$1,000,000,000 asked by the treasury, "does not begin to meet this test."

2. Continuation of the law for re-negotiation of war contracts. (The tax bill proposes amendments to this law which opponents contend would virtually scuttle it.)

3. A "cost of food law" placing a "reasonable floor under farm prices and a ceiling on retail prices. He made clear this means continuing subsidies, saying it will "require public funds to carry out."

4. Early reenactment of the stabilization statute (price and wage fixing law) which expires next June 30. Otherwise, he said, "the country might just as well expect price chaos by summer."

5. "A National service law— which, for the duration of the war, will prevent strikes, and, with certain appropriate exceptions, will make available for war production or for any other essential services every able-bodied adult in this nation."

This last point the president made conditional upon enactment of the others. "These five measures," he said, "together form a just and equitable whole. I would not recommend a national service law unless the other laws were passed to keep down the cost of living, to share equitably the burdens of taxation, to hold the stabilization line, and to prevent undue profits."

By many, Mr. Roosevelt's recommendation for a national service law was regarded as his answer to the steel and railroad strike threats of last month which a high military fixture—widely reported to be General George C. Marshall—estimated may have delayed victory in the European theater.

Reveals His Position

Labor organizations have vehemently opposed such a measure and heretofore White House influence has been against it, although the War and Navy departments and the Maritime Commission have favored this step.

Acknowledging the reversal of his position, Mr. Roosevelt told the Congress members they knew he had for three years "hesitated to recommend a national service act."

"Today, however, I am convinced of its necessity," he continued. "Although I believe that we and our Allies can win the war without such a measure, I am certain that nothing less than total mobilization of all our resources of manpower and capital will guarantee an earlier victory and reduce the toll of suffering and sorrow and blood."

When he turned to postwar questions, the president said this nation already has "accepted, so to speak, a second bill of rights under which a new basis of security and prosperity can be established for all— regardless of station, race or creed."

He said this embraced:

"The right to a useful and remunerative job in the industries, or shops or farms or mines of the nation;

"The right to earn enough to provide adequate food and clothing and recreation;

"The right of every farmer to raise and sell his products at a return which will give him and his family a decent living;

"The right of every business man, large and small, to trade in an atmosphere of freedom from unfair competition and domination by monopolies at home or abroad;

"The right of every family to a decent home;

"The right to adequate protection from the economic fears of old age, sickness, accident and unemployment;

"The right to a good education."

He said all these "spell security," and added that "after this war is won we must be prepared to move forward, in the implementation of these rights, to new goals of human happiness and well being."

The chief executive also described security as the chief objective of his meetings at Teheran and Cairo with Marshal Stalin, Prime Minister Churchill and President Chiang Kai-Shek— security not only for their own nations, but for all.

"And that means not only physical security which provides safety from attacks by aggressors," he continued, "it means also economic security, social security, moral security—in a family of nations."

The chief executive left to Congress details of the national service act, but said it was an issue which "transcends politics" and the measure should be "wholly non-partisan in its make-up."

A pending measure, introduced months ago by Senator Austin (R-Vt.) and Representative Wadsworth (R-NY), would fit universal service into the draft law. Both men and women would register under selective service and be subject to call for service in war industries at customary wages. It would exempt pregnant women and women with children under 18.

Davis High Tops Tygarts Valley

DAVIS, W. Va., Jan. 11—Coach W. R. Talbott's Davis High Wildcats mauled Tygarts Valley high losers, of Mill Creek, 32-24 here tonight for their second victory of the season.

The Wildcats, after being held to a 2-2 tie in the first period, flashed back for a 12-5 lead at the half and boosted their advantage to 23-16 by the end of the third quarter. Bill Hile had eight points, Howard Winters seven and Stanley Boroski six for Davis while Simmons paced the visitors with nine. The lineups:

	G.	F.	G.	Pts.
Davis				
Winters, f.	2	0-2	4	12
Winters, f.	3	1-2	7	10
Winters, f.	1	0-1	2	2
Hile, g.	4	0-1	8	10
Kipner, g.	0	1-2	1	2
Boroski, sub.	3	0-0	6	0
Heitzel, sub.	2	0-5	4	0
Totals	15	2-13	32	24
Tygarts Valley				
McGee, f.	1	0-0	2	0
Phares, f.	0	1-2	1	2
Skin, f.	1	1-1	2	2
Simmons, g.	3	3-4	9	10
Wamsley, g.	1	1-3	3	2
Lord, sub.	3	0-1	6	4
Totals	9	6-14	24	24

Burch Introduces Soldier Vote Bill

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11—(AP)—A soldier vote bill described by its author as providing a workable plan and at the same time removing objections voiced by southerners was introduced today by Representative Burch (D-Va.).

Offered as an amendment to the soldier vote act approved in 1942, the bill retains the provision of that act prohibiting the assessment of a poll tax against members of the armed forces as a prerequisite to voting. The 1942 act set up no new machinery for voting.

Burch's bill would also eliminate the controversial provisions of the Green-Lucas bill providing for a war ballot commission, and puts responsibility for distributing and collecting the soldier ballots on the secretaries of war and navy and the postmaster general.

Ballots would be returned sealed and not to be opened except by the regularly constituted state election officials.

The bill would include the privilege of voting for state, county and local officers if the state legislatures made provision therefor.

Ballots would be returned to the secretary of the state of the voter's residence, who in turn would transmit them to local election officials for counting.

The bill also would provide for voting in primary elections.

The war and Navy departments would be required to distribute application forms to secretaries of the states, who in turn would prepare and print the official war ballots, which would be mailed to the prospective voters.

National Service

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partments and the Maritime Commission endorsed it. Other agencies concerned with production were reported to be opposed and, at least, withheld public endorsement.

RACE RESULTS

HALEAH PARK RESULTS

FIRST—Cling, 7.80, 3.40, 3.00; Silver Donna, 1.40, 3.00; Seminole, 3.50.
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THIRD—Resale, 32.50 for 2.00.
DAILY DOUBLE—4.20, 3.10, 2.50; Gullah, 7.80, 3.40, 3.00.
FOURTH—Brief Sign, 3.10, 2.40, 2.20; Ay Patrol, 3.60, 2.60; Umpydan, 2.50.
FIFTH—F. B. Eye, 9.10, 4.80, 3.80; All Tak, 11.90, 7.80; Copper Beech, 8.50.
SIXTH—Leaving, 3.60, 2.60, 2.30; Rene B, 3.20, 2.70; Linquette, 3.30.
SEVENTH—Free Trader, 9.10, 4.00, 3.40; Darby Duden, 3.30, 2.70; Belay, 4.30.
EIGHTH—Manamail, 9.80, 6.10, 5.50; Precision, 4.60, 4.60; Rapidamide, 20.20.
NINE—Manamail, 9.80, 6.10, 5.50; Precision, 4.60, 4.60; Rapidamide, 20.20.

HALEAH PARK SCRATCHES
FIRST RACE—Dick Richards, Over The Dam, Oh Dinah, Passan.
SECOND—Can Time, Spare Room, Frontier Jane, Urge Me.
FOURTH—Transiran.
EIGHTH—Miss Discovery.

FAIR GROUNDS RESULTS

FIRST—Due Spot, 2.60, 4.20, 3.00; Sonny Casey, 4.00, 3.40; Flash Town, 3.20.
SECOND—Try Fin, 6.80, 4.60, 4.00; Parabolite, 4.00, 4.00; Metsum, 7.20.
DAILY DOUBLE—48.00 for 2.00.
THIRD—Half Grand, 11.60, 6.80, 3.80; Bold Lucy, 5.80, 5.80; Diego Red, 5.00.
FOURTH—Birthmark, 8.00, 4.40, 3.40; Silver, 5.60, 3.80; Hi Henry, 3.80.
FIFTH—F. B. Eye, 9.10, 4.80, 3.80; Some Bid, 3.20, 3.00; Best Effort, 3.80.
SIXTH—Valinda Albert, 15.20, 7.60, 5.60; Brown, 7.60, 5.60; Topic, 4.60.
SEVENTH—Masculine, 13.00, 6.80, 5.00; Bulute, 4.60, 4.60; Pelson, 4.80.

FAIR GROUNDS SCRATCHES

FIRST RACE—Spring Leader, Playful Star, Top Note, St. Jock, Jay D. Kan, Sixty.
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THIRD—Pattur, Fair Player, Gold Tint.
FIFTH—Sweeping Manna, Plover Brand.
SIXTH—Can't Lose.
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Clare Boothe Luce's Daughter Is Killed In Auto Accident

PALO ALTO, Calif., Jan. 11 (AP)—Ann Clare Brokaw, 19, daughter of Clare Boothe Luce, Republican congresswoman from Connecticut, was fatally injured in an automobile collision near the Stanford university campus today.

She was dead on arrival at a hospital.

The girl, a popular senior at Stanford and member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority, was en route to her sorority house from San Francisco. She had accompanied her mother to that city from Los Angeles yesterday.

Mrs. Luce is on a speaking tour. Her husband, Henry Luce, editor of Time, Life and Fortune magazines, is en route here from New York.

Miss Brokaw was Mrs. Luce's only daughter, born of a previous marriage to George Brokaw, wealthy New York broker who died May 28, 1935, six years after a Reno divorce.

War Costs Georgian Woman Entire Family

MARIETTA, Ga., Jan. 11 (AP)—Mrs. Helen Conner, assembly line worker at the Bell operated aircraft plant here, received another telegram today.

It advised her that her husband, William Jennings Bryan Conner, 49, chief gunners mate on a PT boat in the Pacific, died of asphyxiation in line of duty. Previously she had been advised of the death of her only son in action in Tunisia last June, and the loss of two brothers, one with the navy in the South Pacific and the other with the army in North Africa.

She lost her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Zadorkin, natives of Russia last year—her father's death hastened by news of the death of relatives in the Russo-German conflict.

Fort Hill Plays Paw Paw Tonight

Fort Hill High's Sentinels, topped last night by LaSalle, will play their second game in as many days. Tonight, the Hilltoppers will travel to Paw Paw, W. Va., for a return tussle with John Marra's Mountaineers.

The Hillmen, who have won but one of five games this season, checked in their only triumph at the expense of Paw Paw, 44-16, and will be favored to sweep the home-and-home series. Paw Paw has copied two of six engagements.

Two other contests are on tap tonight. The Parsons High Panthers, unbeaten in six games, will strive to extend their streak and at the same time repeat an earlier triumph when they take on their Tucker county rival, Thomas, on the latter's floor. Parsons defeated Thomas, 45-12, in an earlier meeting, the first of four this season.

The Romney High Pioneers, who launched their season with an easy victory over Elk Garden high last week, will oppose the Berkeley Springs High Indians at Berkeley Springs, W. Va., in tonight's other offering. Tomorrow afternoon, Romney will travel to Mathias for an afternoon Potomac Valley Conference encounter.

American Heavy

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terday, the Germans were seizing on the huge claim to pump new life into the battered people who for weeks have been on the receiving end of the most intensive Allied bombing campaign in history.

Bombardier Walter E. Gibson of Lyndon, Ill., said the Nazi fighters kept "coming in frantically mad" as the big formations pushed through to their targets. Sgt. William H. Stoyer of Reading, Pa., said the objective to which his group was assigned "looked like a cardboard box being smashed to pieces."

The extraordinary report was the first time Hitler's headquarters has been given as the source of a claim for Allied aerial losses, the British Ministry of Information said.

New Model Plane Used

The United States communicate said that in addition to the Thunderbolts, Lightnings and the new long-range fighters the big bombers were provided with a protecting screen by RAF and other Allied fighters.

It was officially disclosed that in addition to the long-range Thunderbolts and Lightnings, a new model American fighter plane—presumably an improved type of the P-51 Mustang and believed to be the longest range single-engine plane in the world—now was in operation in the European war theater.

"They had everything out against us including Stuka dive-bombers," a returning pilot said.

Others reported that the high-flying formations were attacked by fighters equipped with rocket guns and by Nazi planes trailing "tag-along" bombs, presumably designed to explode in the midst of the tight-packed bomber formations.

The "tag-along" bombs, which first were encountered by American pilots Jan. 5 during a raid on Kiel, are towed on wire by enemy fighters.

Former Resident

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officers Monday with Senator A. L. Helmick as president, D. H. Kight, as vice-president; Bert Pase, secretary; G. E. Mosser, Sr., was re-elected for the fourteenth consecutive year as chief. Other officers were Bert Pase, assistant chief; Junior Schoonover, captain; Roy Helmick, lieutenant, and W. G. Helmick, Ray Jones and Bernard Wenck, trustees.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. White, Benbush, announce the birth of a daughter, Diana Louise, at their home December 31.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Dumire, Benbush, announce the birth of a daughter, Mary Lee, at their home on New Year's day. The mother is the former Annabelle Pennington.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ferguson, Parsons, announce the birth of a daughter at their home January 7. The mother is the former Ellen Parsons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Parsons, of St. George.

Mr. and Mrs. Elery Bergstrom, Thomas, announce the birth of a son, Gerald Miller, at their home January 3. The mother is the former Evelyn Close.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cross of Parsons announce the birth of a son, John Lewis, in a local hospital on January 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Haxford of Bretz, announce the birth of a daughter in a local hospital January 10. The mother is the former Verla Orndorff.

Corp. and Mrs. William Watring, Leadmine, announce the birth of a daughter, Jane Parker, born in a local hospital January 9. The mother is the former Nina Stemple and the father is stationed with the Marine Corps in San Diego, Calif.

Lieut. and Mrs. Louise Foreman, Davis, announce the birth of a son, Frank LeRoy, in a local hospital January 10. The mother is the former Lieut. Mary Mamish, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mamish of Davis.

Personals

Miss Caroline Felton, 16, senior of Parsons high school and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Felton of Parsons is in a critical condition in the local hospital.

Herbert Donalds, son of Lieut. and Mrs. George Donalds, Parsons, is now in Miami, Fla., where he is receiving his basic training as an aviation cadet.

Pass Physical Tests

Two additional registrants of Local Board No. 2 have been accepted by the armed forces following physical examination in Baltimore, P. Emmett Fahey, chief clerk, announced yesterday. They are: Allen Daniels, this city, was accepted by the navy, and Charles E. Trimble, negro, this city, was accepted by the army and will report to Camp Meade within the next three weeks.

Weather in Nearby States

WEST VIRGINIA—Colder in west portion.

PENNSYLVANIA—Snow flurries and colder.

Local State Guardsmen Receive Judo Instruction

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About 100 members of the local companies of the Maryland State Guard participated in a class in judo conducted by Lieut. Kline and a team from the 702 Military Police Battalion of Pikesville at the state armory.

The team will present similar instruction in Annapolis tonight. About 100 spectators attended the class last night.

Woman Dies

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funeral services will be conducted at the Red House Lutheran church on Wednesday. The Rev. A. K. Jones, pastor, will officiate. Interment will be in Red House cemetery.

William Richardson, navy, is home on leave visiting his wife and mother, Mrs. Pearl Richardson.

Edward Beeman is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Beeman.

Athletic Group

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Potomac Valley hospital. It was necessary to amputate his right arm above the elbow and his left arm was badly mashed and broken.

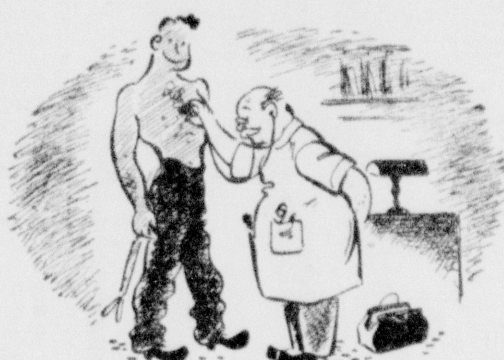
Briefs and Personals

Miss Anna Cook, Charlestown street, will be hostess to the Jitterbug club on Wednesday evening for the first meeting of the new year.

Local Union No. 7768 will hold its meeting on Thursday evening at the International Order of Odd Fellows hall, Front street, with Herbert P. Staup, president, presiding.

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Funeral Notice

DRUMMOND—James T., aged 59, Borden Street, died Friday, January 7th in St. Michael's Hospital. The body is at Hager Funeral Home, Frostburg, where friends and relatives will be received and funeral services held Thursday, 2:30 p. m. Rev. George L. Wehler, pastor of Salem Evangelical and Reformed Church will officiate. Interment in Allegheny Cemetery. Arrangements by Hager Funeral Service. 1-11-11-TN

FOOTEN—John H., aged 31, husband of Eva (Davis) Footen, 128 S. Lee St., died Monday, January 10th. The body is at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Footen, 68 Spring Street, Frostburg, where friends and relatives will be received. Funeral Mass Thursday, 9:30 a. m., in St. Michael's Catholic Church, Frostburg. Interment in the parish cemetery. Arrangements by Duff's Funeral Service. 1-11-11-TN

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Card of Thanks

We take this means of expressing our sincere thanks to our relatives, friends and neighbors who were so kind to us in our bereavement of the death of our beloved daughter, Nora Winters. We also wish to thank those who loaned cars for the funeral and those who sent floral tributes. MR. AND MRS. OSNEY WINTERS. 1-12-11-NT

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness during the illness and following the death of our wife and mother, Mrs. Charles E. Robinson. We also wish to thank those who sent flowers, donated cars or otherwise rendered assistance. CHARLES E. ROBINETTE AND FAMILY. 1-12-11-NT

In appreciation for the many kindnesses shown following the death of my wife, Margaret V. Folk, I wish to take this time to thank the friends and neighbors for their expressions of sympathy and the use of their cars. FRANK E. FOLK. 1-12-11-NT

We wish to express our appreciation for the kindness shown us following the death of our father, brother, and uncle, John Thomas Duckworth, for the funeral and expressions of sympathy. We wish to especially thank the Bank of Cumberland and the funeral home for the courtesies and cooperation extended to his son in the funeral service. ALVA H. DUCKWORTH, HAMILTON DUCKWORTH YOUNG, and MRS. MARY DAYTON M. LEWIS AND FAMILY. 1-12-11-NT

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THE BEST in used furniture

Price's Furniture Exchange, 79 N. Centre. 4-25-11-TN

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HEADQUARTERS for Armstrong and Colebrook floor covering. All widths. Bargain prices. Shonters, 128 N. Centre. 9-10-11-TN

"SPENCER CORSETS"—Mrs. Leatherman. Phone 3868-W. 1-2-31-TN

TWO GAS heating stoves, one gas cooking stove, Heatrols and coal heating stoves, cheap, 1497-M. 12-22-11-TN

FINE RADIOS, basement 321 Bedford. 1-4-31-TN

SPENCER CORSETS individually designed. Mrs. Alleta Allamong Luchs, Phone 3822-M. 12-31-31-TN

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ONE ARMY COAL heater, \$35; one small coal heater, \$10. Phone 4330-WX. 1-10-31-TN

FIXTURES—Shelving, display cases, linoleum covering, paper cutters, chairs, cabinet, other miscellaneous items. Cumberland Cut Rate Store, 57 Baltimore St. 1-10-31-TN

SINGER sewing machines. Phone 4546. 1-10-11-W-T

LADY'S new 3-piece all wool suit, cost \$50, sell \$35, size 13. Two new black dresses, size 11. Phone 912-M. 1-10-31-TN

GELLNER'S day old New Hamp-shire and Rock Hampshire chicks. First hatch January 17th. Phone 4025-P-15. 1-11-31-TN

50 NEW HAMPSHIRE red pullets, \$75, 6 months old, 4012-F-3. 1-11-31-TN

NEW THREE piece maple bedroom suite with inner-spring mattress, chair, ivory chest wardrobe, 6 x 10 linoleum rug, other household articles. See Mrs. Rosenmark, Bennett Storage, Henderson Ave. between 4 and 5 P. M. Wednesday and Thursday. 1-11-21-TN

HOT WATER car heater; kitchen cabinet, two matching utilities. Call Lonaconing 111-M after 5. 1-11-21-TN

STRICTLY FRESH eggs, 45c dozen. Call 1216-R. 1-11-11-TN

CHARIS FOUNDATION Garment. Mrs. Brown, Phone 2907-W. 1-11-11-TN

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FRONT BEDROOM, heat, 424 N. Mechanic. 12-22-31-TN

FRONT BEDROOM, 312 Harrison. Phone 583. 1-7-11-W-T

LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING room, suitable for one, 3554-R. 1-7-11-TN

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28-A—Florists

FLOWERS, BOPP'S. Phone 2582. 10-17-11-TN

29—Furniture, Stoves

USED FURNITURE. Millenson's, 317 Virginia. 1-6-11-TN

STOVE DOORS repaired, 208 Beall. 1-5-11-W-N

30—Building Supplies

4x12 Timber
10 to 20 feet in length. Can be resawed into smaller sizes.

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32—Help Wanted—Female

MIDDLE-AGED woman for house-work, stay nights. Phone 2622-W. 1-9-31-TN

WANTED—Middle aged woman for housework. Live in. Good home. Excellent wages. Write Box 868-A. Times-News. 1-10-31-TN

CAPABLE woman wanted for housework in LaVale, \$12 week. Phone 1459. 1-11-21-TN

WANTED—Experienced white woman or girl for general housework, live in, modern home and good wages. references. Call 3376-R, 6 to 8 P. M. 1-11-21-TN

WANTED—Girl for cleaning. 428 Beall St. 1-11-31-TN

HOUSEKEEPER, middle aged, live in, all conveniences. Phone 4416. 6 p. m. 1-11-21-TN

WANTED—Silk finishers, 45c an hour. Peter Pan Cleaners, 536 N. Centre St. 1-11-21-TN

WIDOWER WANTS Housekeeper. Harry O'Neal, Star Route, Frostburg, Md., c/o John Hafer. 1-12-31-TN

33—Help Wanted, Male

By State Roads Commission, especially men who live in the neighborhood of the State Roads Commission Garage, 32 Maple St., but all applicants will receive consideration. 1-5-21-TN

MESSENGERS. Day or evening work. Good pay with scheduled increases. Apply Western Union Telegraph Co., 7 N. Liberty St. 12-30-11-TN

BOY, 14 or over, to carry Cumberland News in Ridgeley, W. Va. Apply Times-News Circulation Dept. Phone 749. 1-7-21-TN

MAN for farm and orchard work, house and garden furnished. Top wages paid. P. O. Box 7, Cumberland, Md. 1-8-11-W-T

EXPERIENCED farmer, married, small family. Box 866-A. Times-News. 1-10-31-TN

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Lights Burn Long After Sirens Wail During Alert Here

Unattended Lighting Is Much in Evidence in First 1944 Blackout

Cumberland underwent a test air-raid alert last evening from 6:45 to 7:32 o'clock and judging from the reports of wardens the blackout, first to be held here since last fall, was far from being termed a success.

The surprise alert caught many persons flatfooted and lights in many public buildings and homes burned as long as fifteen minutes after the first "blue" signal was sounded.

Lights are Unattended

Herman L. Myers, chief air raid warden, said that "unattended lighting" was much in evidence in the downtown business district. Street lights in some sections of the city also remained on for at least five minutes after the signal was given to douse them.

Dr. Robert W. Work, civilian defense director, was advised that the siren at The Dingle, one of the five controlled from city hall, failed to warn persons in the neighborhood.

The signals for the test was flashed by the First Fighter Command, with headquarters in New York, through the civilian air raid warning system.

In downtown Cumberland, many persons stood on corners instead of seeking shelters when the red warning sounded at 7:01 p. m. Pedestrians ducked into the nearest doorway. The second "blue" signal came through at 7:12 p. m. while the "white" all-clear was reported at 7:32.

Signals are Forgotten

Myers said that the wardens did a pretty good job and expressed the opinion that the reason why lights burned so long in some public buildings and dwellings was because the people had failed to memorize the signals.

According to reliable sources the Maryland State Police radio system will in the near future handle signals for air-raid alerts and will immediately contact the control centers.

Isabel Ireland Will Is Filed for Probate

By terms of her will entered for probate in orphans' court yesterday, Isabel Ireland named her niece and nephews chief beneficiaries.

Cash bequests were made to the following nieces: Vera R. Parker, Brentwood; Martina Parker McFarlane, Toledo, Ohio; Helen Parker Chaffer, Churchillville; Dorothy Joan Hanson; Mabel Gilson Ireland, Baltimore; and Neil T. Nichols, Cumberland.

Nephews named heirs are Lloyd Davis Work, Sr., Cumberland; James Allen Ireland Parker, Cottage City; Lawrence Parker, Brentwood; and Joseph Albert Nichols, Cumberland. Bequests were also made to Eleanor Ruth Volk, Chevy Chase, and Lloyd Davis Volk, Jr., Cumberland, grand niece and nephew, and to a brother Angus Ireland, of Baltimore.

J. Albert Nichols, nephew, was named executor. Also entered for probate yesterday was the will of William H. Ireland, who named his wife, Mollie Ireland, chief beneficiary and executrix.

Committee To Meet

Plans for another collection of old paper will be made at a meeting of the Cumberland Salvage committee Friday at 8 p. m. in the chamber of commerce office, W. Donald Smith, chairman, announces.

Celanese Plant To Get Merit Award

The National Security Award for establishing "superior security and protection measures against enemy air raids, fire, sabotage and avoidable accidents," will be presented to the Celanese plant shortly, probably next week, Fred T. Small, plant manager, announced yesterday.

Information that the award will be presented to the local plant was announced by the Office of Civilian Defense of the Third Civilian Defense Region in Baltimore in a letter to Dr. Camille Dreyfus, president of the company.

Small termed the award "an honor, not only for the Celanese Company and its employees, but for Cumberland and the State of Maryland," and pointed out some of the factors that resulted in earning the award. These included completion of various phases of civilian defense instruction by employees of the plant.

After the presentation of the award is made, all employees will be eligible to wear an award button which the company has agreed to supply.

The letter to Dr. Dreyfus, acting regional security officer, Baltimore, pointed out that the plant was "fitted for general excellence in the observance of security and protection regulations of the Code of Chief of Ordnance."



GETS ARMY WINGS — David H. R. Loughrie, Baltimore, was commissioned a second lieutenant and received his wings in the army air forces.

Loughrie, who has been in service for the past eighteen months, received his commission and wings on Friday after completing his advanced flight training there. He is now home on leave with his parents, United States Deputy Marshal and Mrs. Howard P. Loughrie, Baltimore, and will report for duty later this month at Maxwell field, Ala.

Legion Votes \$330 For Compensation Of Claims Clerk

Post Membership Soars to 672; Sons Plan Father, Mother, Son Banquet

Fort Cumberland Post No. 13 American Legion, last evening voted in favor of an appropriation of \$330 toward compensating a clerk for expediting claims and rehabilitation of veterans of the first and second World wars.

The post acted on an appeal of Thomas P. Conlon, service officer, who urged that funds be furnished for the furtherance of this work due to the fact that the number of claims have been multiplying in recent weeks and the steady employment of a clerk to expedite the claims is necessary.

Conlon's office has handled approximately 2,500 claims of veterans since the First World War and approximately thirty-five claims were handled last week for veterans who served in the current conflict.

Post Has 672 Members

Fort Cumberland Post's contribution is based on membership. Samuel A. Graham, membership chairman, announced that the post has 672 members at the present time and needs an additional thirteen to equal last year's all-time high of 685.

The post's total memberships are running 141 ahead of January 11, 1942 when 531 were recorded, Graham said.

Banquet Is Planned Albert M. Kerns, chairman of Fort Cumberland Squadron, Sons of the American Legion, announced that plans for a father, mother and son banquet are now under way. The event is scheduled for Tuesday, January 18, at 8 p. m., at the American Legion home.

Charles G. Smith, commander, announced the appointment of Jesse Hopcraft as chairman of the post's blood donor committee, as successor to Nat Guggenheimer.

Second National Bank Stockholders Hold Annual Meeting

Ninety-one percent of the stockholders of the Second National Bank of Cumberland were represented either personally or by proxy at the seventy-ninth annual meeting of the stockholders yesterday. The following members of the board of directors were re-elected:

John Schwarzenbach, Tasker G. Lowndes, Fulcher P. Smith, R. Arden Lowndes, J. Glenn Beall and Joseph M. Naughton.

In explaining the omission of a dividend, President Lowndes said that the directors believe that dividends at this time are "inconsistent with the bank's obligation to the community and to the nation at war." A growing investment in government bonds, he explained, "enables the bank to play its part in helping to finance the war effort and simultaneously puts the bank in an assured position to meet every legitimate postwar demand for credit by our own business and individuals. Such an investment policy, however, which is being zealously followed by leading American banks, necessarily commotes lower earnings."

The re-elected board of directors will hold its annual organization meeting today at which time committees for 1944 and officers will be appointed.

Deed Filed for Sale Of Lonaconing Store

Among real estate transfers filed for record in circuit court yesterday was a bill of sale by James Crosser and Margaret R. Crosser, of Lonaconing, who conveyed to Henry Crosser, what is known as the General Store on Main street in Lonaconing. The sale price was \$1,000.

By a quit claim deed the Crossers also conveyed to Henry Crosser a parcel of land in what is known as "Totten Part of Ball's Good Luck."

Another deed was filed by the Cumberland Improvement Company, which sold to Harold C. Turner and Arlie E. Turner, lot 21, in block 44, on McMullen Boulevard in Potomac Park Addition.

David Loughrie Gets Commission As Army Pilot

Receives Wings and Becomes Second Lieutenant at George Field, Ill.

David H. R. Loughrie, son of Deputy United States Marshal and Mrs. Howard P. Loughrie, Baltimore, has been commissioned a second lieutenant and received his wings as a pilot in the army air forces.

Loughrie, who has been in service for the past eighteen months, received his commission and wings on Friday after completing his advanced flight training at George field, Ill.

A graduate of Fort Hill high school, Loughrie attended Potomac State school at Keyser, W. Va., and West Virginia university, at Morgantown, entering service while a student at the latter school.

After receiving his basic training at St. Petersburg and Clearwater, Fla., Loughrie was sent to Buckley field, Col., for training at the aircraft armament school and then was receiving overseas training at Atlantic City, N. J., when he was transferred to the aviation cadets on April 17, 1943.

He was at Nashville, Tenn., for two weeks to receive his classification as an aviation cadet and received his preflight training at Maxwell field, Ala. He received his civilian primary training at Camden, S. C., and then his basic flight training at Shaw field, Sumter, S. C., before being transferred to George field for advanced training.

Now at home on leave, Loughrie will report to Maxwell field later this month for transitional training in B-24s.

Samuel Shipley, 65, Dies at His Home

Bowman's Addition Man Is Stricken as He Gets Out of Bed

Samuel Shipley, 65, Bowman's addition, died at 1:30 p. m., yesterday, at his home of a heart attack.

Mr. Shipley had been ill for several days and yesterday afternoon got out of bed and was stricken with a heart attack as he arose. As he fell to the floor he struck his head on a piece of furniture, but Dr. Luntine H. Corson, deputy county medical examiner, said death was due to the heart attack.

Mr. Shipley was a son of the late Dawson and Martha Barthlow Shipley. He lived in Cumberland for a number of years but for the past thirteen years had resided in Bowman's addition. He was a farmer.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Emma Hickie Shipley; two sons, James M. and Bernard R. Shipley; Bowman's addition; two daughters, Mrs. Dorothy C. Ledy and Mrs. Beatrice V. Johnson, Bowman's addition; two brothers, Edmund Shipley, Bowman's addition; Levin Shipley, Cumberland; nine grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

The body will remain at the late home where funeral services will be held Friday. Interment will be in Greenwood cemetery.

MRS. WILLIAM F. GEES

Funeral services for Mrs. William Franklin Gees, who died at her home in Baltimore, were held January 7 at the William Cook funeral mansion. The Rev. Dr. Don Frank Fenn, rector of St. Michael and All Angels Episcopal church, officiated.

Mrs. Gees was a frequent visitor in Cumberland. She is survived by her two daughters, Mrs. Louis H. Ewald, wife of the Rev. Louis H. Ewald, Cumberland; and Miss Florence E. Gees, Baltimore; and one granddaughter, Louise Franklin Ewald.

JAMES B. ROBINSON

James B. Robinson, Uniontown, well known in Cumberland, died yesterday morning following a heart attack.

Surviving is one sister, Mrs. Paul B. Dick, Connelville, Pa. He was a cousin of Dr. Frank M. Wilson, Washington street, at whose home he visited frequently.

MRS. ROBINETTE RITES

Funeral services for Mrs. Bessie M. Robinette, wife of Charles Robinette, Corriganville, were held at 2 p. m. yesterday in the Corriganville Methodist church with the Rev. P. W. Kemp officiating. Interment was in Greenwood cemetery.

Pallbearers were Wilbur Bittner, Samuel Carey, Harry Walters, George Boor, George F. Seigel and Oliver Hergott.

Directors of Peoples Bank Re-elect Officers

All members of the board of directors of the Peoples bank were re-elected at the annual meeting of the stockholders held yesterday. At the organization meeting of the directors present officers also were re-elected.



JOINS SPARS — Miss Hannah Golladay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Golladay, Bedford road, will leave Friday for Baltimore to join the SPARS—United States Coast Guard Women's Reserve.

United States Coast Guard Women's Reserve. From Baltimore she will go to Palm Beach, Fla., for her basic training. Miss Golladay is receptionist in the Cumberland office of the United States Employment Service, having been employed by that federal agency since May 5, 1942.

Trustees elected are Bernard Harris, Teamsters Local No. 453; Richard Simmons, Laborers Local No. 616 and C. W. Robinette, Bakers Local No. 246. The executive board comprises P. A. Creighton, Dairy Workers Local No. 924; W. M. Richards, Bakers Local No. 246; C. C. McKearn, Fire Fighters Local No. 654, and J. J. Ehrlich, Carpenters Local No. 1024.

Installation of the newly elected officers is scheduled for Tuesday, January 25, at which time a national A.P. of L. officer is expected to attend.

Hannah Golladay Will Join SPARS

Receptionist at the USES Office To Leave Friday for Baltimore

A Cumberland girl who has played the important role of receptionist at the local office of the United States Employment Service since 1942 has resigned her position with that federal agency to enlist in the United States Coast Guard Women's Reserve.

Miss Hannah Golladay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Golladay, Bedford road, will leave Friday for Baltimore to join the SPARS and after receiving instructions there she will go to Palm Beach, Fla., for her basic training. She was sworn in at Baltimore last Saturday.

A graduate of Fort Hill high school, class of 1940, Miss Golladay attended Frostburg State Teachers college for one year and also Catherman's Business School. She has been employed at the Cumberland office of the U.S.E.S. since May 5, 1942.

Miss Golladay is a member of the Maryland 4-H All-Stars, the Bedford Road 4-H club and the Central Y.M.C.A. Ladies' Bowling League. A farewell party in honor of Miss Golladay was given last evening by the ladies' auxiliary of Henry Hart Post No. 1411, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Everett R. Johnson To Present Prizes at Camera Club Meeting

The Cumberland Miniature Camera Club will hold its regular monthly meeting today at 7:45 p. m., in the Central Y. M. C. A.

Everett R. Johnson, general secretary of the Central Y.M.C.A., will present prizes to winners in the prize contest held during the New Year's day open house. The awards will go to Mrs. Gladys Weatherholt and Frank Bareis.

The rules committee will submit new club rules for the ensuing year. In addition to the regular monthly prize contest, there will be displayed a kodachrome slide exhibit presented by Messrs. Herscher, Morehead and Warden and an exhibit of prints from the Photographic Society of America, Philadelphia.

Two More Local Men Join Navy

The navy recruiting office yesterday announced that two additional local men were included in the contingent of fifteen naval volunteers who left here yesterday afternoon for the Baltimore naval recruiting station.

The new volunteers are James Harry Parker, Jr., 17, son of the Rev. Harry Parker, Sr., and Joseph William Kelley, 27, Prospect square, who will enter a ship repair unit as an electrician.

The volunteers were led to the railroad station by Petty Officer Phyllis Duckery and Seaman Virginia Hopper of the WAVES. Also marching with the group were Umpire McCulloch, seaman second class, home on furlough from Sampson naval training station, and Harry F. Adams, gunner's mate, Oldtown, home on a twelve-day leave from the Brooklyn armed guard center.

Cumberlanders Included In Co-operative School

Cumberland students will be among a group who will attend a regional Southern States Co-operative School which will be held in Winchester, Va., Thursday, January 13.

W. G. Wysox, of Richmond, Va., general manager of Southern States, will be the principal speaker. Through classes and general discussion, the group will receive instructions in methods for meeting farm problems.

Members of the board are Harry Potter, H. U. F. Flurshutz, Irving Rosenbaum, Franklin H. Ankeney, Paul Heuer, George R. Hughes, Delbert R. Kitzmiller, Dr. John K. Reum and John P. Schellhaus. Officers re-elected are Potter, president; Flurshutz and Rosenbaum, vice presidents; Harold B. Fletcher, cashier; Joseph J. Ryland and George I. Stigmaler, assistant cashiers.

Trades Council Elects Groves For Third Term

1944 Officers Will Be Installed at Meeting January 25

J. William Groves, of Barbers Local No. 314, was re-elected president of the Allegany Trades Council at the annual meeting last evening at Trades Council hall, 123 Frederick street.

Groves has served as president of the council for the past two years.

Other officers elected include: Richard Hixon, Laborers Local No. 616, first vice-president; Joseph Gerstall, Pulp and Paper Workers Local No. 36, second vice-president; Jeremiah T. Defibaugh, Fire Fighters Local No. 654, secretary; Russell Somers, Carpenters Local No. 1024, sergeant-at-arms.

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Robertson Explains Radio Operation To Rotarians

WTBO Station Manager Relates Number of Facts about Broadcasting

A number of interesting facts not generally known about the operation of a radio broadcasting station were noted in a talk yesterday at the weekly luncheon of the Rotary club by Dale Robertson, the station manager of local Station W. T. B. O.

Such operation is not altogether a bed of roses affair according to the difficulties, restrictions and wartime regulations recounted by the speaker, who highlighted them in the technical, program, personnel, sales and administrative departments. Particularly exacting are the wartime censorship requirements, Robertson said.

Listeners got some new information in explanation of the differences between ground and sky waves, between recording and transmissions, between sustaining and commercial programs and the like. Since W. T. B. O. hooked up with the National Broadcasting Company network January 1, the speaker said, many have inquired why some of its popular offerings are not included. Program planning and budgeting were explained as the reasons. Program must always be made up in advance. Advertisers using the major chains contract for thirteen, twenty-six, thirty-nine or fifty-two programs, and additional stations must wait until the intervals for inclusions, according to the contracts. Some sponsors will take on new territory, others will not because of budget limitations.

Usually, Robertson said, it takes from one to two years for a new station to assimilate all or the most of the major network programs. A development of radio programming, it was explained, is a rigid percentage scheduling for talks, these being strictly limited according to the length of the program.

Robertson explained the difficulties occasioned by the activities of James Caesar Petrillo, head of the Musicians' union, which have caused radio people many headaches with respect to music restrictions and added costs.

Guests at the luncheon included R. Donald Yauch, of Uniontown, Pa., governor of the One Hundred and Seventy-Sixth Rotary International district, and W. F. McGroarty, of Pittsburgh.

LIONS PROPOSE ICE SKATING RINK FOR LOCAL BALL PARK

Ice skating at the Community Ball Park, Winnow street, may become a reality if plans of the board of directors of the Cumberland Lions Club are carried out successfully, it was learned yesterday.

William Dolder, a member of the club, has advanced the idea that a section of the park be flooded for the sport and permission to use the park has been given by the American Legion.

The success of the project will depend a great deal on continued cold weather.

Ice skating on the river and creek has been a thing of the past due to the unusually mild winters which have prevailed here for the past twenty years.

The project will be discussed further when the Lions hold their regular weekly luncheon meeting today at 12:15 p. m. in the Central Y. M. C. A.

City Workers Fingerprinted

For listing in the files of the federal bureau of investigation, all city employees were fingerprinted yesterday by Detective Frank B. Gaffney. The work was done at police headquarters.

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